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"Tell on, and on, and on, and on."

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MILITARISTS, CLERGY, HELPLESS AS GERMANS RIOT.

"Neglect No Opportunity for Peace"—Lansdowne.

Unity.

WORLD COMBINATION TO PREVENT NEW WARS

Room for Germany, but None for Prussian Militarism in Scheme Advocated in England.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Jan. 31.—The Marquis of Lansdowne in an address today said that he concurred entirely with the recent speeches of David Lloyd George, the British Prime Minister, and President Wilson on peace aims.

"I believe all of us are ready to prolong this war, as terrible as it is, until we can get a clean peace," said the leader of the opposition in the House of Lords.

Lord Lansdowne added that the time for obtaining such a peace should not be too long delayed and that no opportunity should be neglected to bring it nearer.

ANSWERS LOREBURN.

Lord Lansdowne was replying to an address presented by Earl Loreburn, former Lord High Chancellor, and others of his supporters, including authors and journalists.

"But it is our desire," the speaker said, "that the time for obtaining that clean peace should, if possible, not be too long delayed and that no opportunity should be neglected of bringing it nearer.

"By a clean peace, I mean a peace which will be honorable and durable."

SINGLE TRACK.

Continuing, Lord Lansdowne said there was only one way of getting this peace and that was by forming a combination of great powers under which the powers would hold themselves bound to refer international disputes to some kind of international tribunal.

Lord Lansdowne asked if it would not be true to add that if the cohesion of Germany could be obtained to such a pact it would mean the negation of Prussian militarism, and there would be no room for Prussian militarism inside such a combination.

The speaker said he accepted whole-heartedly the suggestion of Mr. Lloyd George that territorial questions should be settled on the basis of national self-determination.

The speech of Count von Hertling, the Imperial German Chancellor, was a disappointment to him, Lord Lansdowne added.

"I think nobody would be more surprised that Von Hertling," the speaker said, "if he thought we were going to hand over Gibraltar, Hongkong and some other little quarters of the earth."

Lord Lansdowne, referring to his peace letter, said he thought he could claim it had led to a discussion which had useful results in the country. Among the reasons which led him to write the letter was the fact that he was convinced that a great many people were perplexed and uneasy because they did know clearly the objects for which the country was asked to prolong the war. He added:

"They sought and they desired to be taken into the confidence of the government. They were supicious. But let me say, on the other hand, of those people, that if you can convince them that your cause is a just one they will work on and fight on to the bitter end."

There has been from time to time different statements of the war aims of this country, he pointed out, but they were in broad outline and could be filled up in different ways, according to the inclination of the reader. He made no complaint against the government and said that allowance should be made for all the difficulties.

"It is unthinkable, altogether revolting from our thoughts," he continued, "that we should in any way be disloyal to our allies who have fought so gloriously on our side in this war."

Lord Lansdowne then expressed concurrence in the speeches of Premier Lloyd George and President Wilson and added:

"It has been stated that there is no half-way house between defeat and victory. If that is so, then what we are looking for is complete victory in the fullest sense of the word."

Lord Lansdowne,
Who advises the nations at war to neglect no opportunity to conclude a clean and durable peace.

"NO HEAT, NO RENT," IS CHICAGO RULING.

FLAT DWELLERS GIVEN RIGHT TO BREAK LEASE OF COLD ROOMS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Jan. 31.—Chicago's flat dwellers who have felt the sting of the record-breaking January cold, though still compelled to hand over rents to landlords, came into their own today by an important ruling of the Fuel Administration.

In effect the ruling means "No heat, no rent," and as a result it is believed that the owner of a flat building will "get a hump on himself" from now on and manage to find fuel by some means in order to keep the steam radiators going.

The rulings of the Fuel Administration came after heaps of complaints had been filed by angry dwellers in flat buildings who were expected to find comfort and heat by hugging close to steam radiators which sent forth no steam, and in which heavy icicles had formed.

Now, the flat dweller, if the haughy landlord says he has no coal, is given the right to go out and buy all the coal needed and to deduct the money paid for fuel from his rent. Then, if he prefers to move, he can do so, and break his lease with impunity and without any fear of being held to its terms.

OPPOSE CANADIANS SELLING FISH IN U. S.

AMERICAN PRODUCERS OBJECT BECAUSE POCKETS WOULD SUFFER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BOSTON, Jan. 31.—Massachusetts fishermen, registering their objections to any proposal which would allow Canadian fishing vessels to bring their catches to the United States, declared today at a hearing given by the Canadian-American international conference, that the very existence of the industry in this State will be endangered. Speakers admitted that such an agreement would result in a larger supply of fresh fish for the people of the United States, but insisted that it would be a hardship from the producers' point of view.

The main object of the conference, it was explained by Secretary Redfield, was to devise mutually equitable regulations for the joint use of American and Canadian ports by fishermen, both in the matter of obtaining supplies and, if it were found desirable, in disposing of their catches.

O. M. Arnold, president of the New England Fish Company, which operates a fleet of halibut fishing boats on the Pacific Coast, favored the proposal to open the ports to Canadians. He explained that fishermen on the Pacific were operating under an agreement virtually the same as was being sought here, and that it had been found very beneficial.

YOUTH REJECTED FOR ARMY KILLS HIMSELF.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Orinns Crim, a twenty-year-old high school boy, shot and killed himself at his home here today, according to his father, because he had been rejected three times from military service on account of weak ankles and defective sight.

PERSHING REPORTS DEATHS OF SOLDIERS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Gen. Pershing today reported the following deaths from natural causes:

From pneumonia—Private Otto F. Schoenemann, Beatrice, Cal.; death from other causes, Private Ralph Huddleson, empyema, Wasco, Cal.

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Conservation.

FOOD RULE EXTENDED.

Licenses for Small Bakers.

Cooks Using Three Barrels of Flour Monthly to Come Under Supervision.

Several Hundred Establishments in California Included in Order.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Licensing regulations as applied to bakers were extended by President Wilson in a proclamation tonight to take in hotels, restaurants and clubs which do their own baking, to include thousands of small bakers heretofore exempt, and to cover the manufacture of bread of every kind, including cake, crackers, biscuits, pastry and other bakery products.

At the same time the President put under license all importers and distributors of green coffee to prevent speculative prices in the coffee market.

All licenses must be obtained by next February 4, when the new regulations become effective.

Bakers already under license are those who use more than ten barrels of flour a month. Hereafter the limit will be placed at three barrels.

REGULATIONS.

A new set of baking regulations issued by the Food Administration to accompany the proclamation, limits the amount of flour bakers may purchase, makes changes in the quantity of ingredients other than flour used in the manufacture, and prescribes other changes in bakers' practices.

Bakers of bread and rolls will be limited in their wheat flour purchases to 80 per cent. of their requirements up to July 31 and bakers of other products, including crackers, biscuits, cookies, cakes, pies, fried cakes, pastry and sweet yeast doughs, to 70 per cent. for the same period.

After next Sunday bakers of breads and rolls must use 5 per cent. of wheat flour substitutes and the amount must be increased until they are using 20 per cent. next February 24. Bakers of other products are not required to use substitutes, but urged to do so.

MORE SUGAR USED.

An increase in the amount of sugar permitted in bread manufacture is allowed and the present bread formula is changed to permit the use of milk in any form and quantity, provided that bread containing milk is not sold at a higher price than that containing none. Bakers are urged not to increase their consumption of cane and beet sugars.

Bakers of bread and rolls are permitted to apply the name Victory bread to their product when it contains a 20 per cent. substitution for wheat flour and bakers of other products may use the name when one-third of their content consists of wheat flour substitutes.

Victory bread and other victory products may be sold on the wheatless days, but the suggestion is made that bakers will find it to their advantage to develop special breads containing a higher percentage of substitution for sale on these days.

A statement given out with the new regulations points out that the Food Administration will impose no restrictions on the amount of wheat flour substitutes a baker may use and all bakers are urged to employ as much substitution as possible.

Bakers of products other than bread and rolls, although their purchases of wheat flour will be reduced to 80 per cent. of their requirements, will not be required to cut their sales and Food Administration officials look for them to keep their output up to normal by use of the substitute flours.

The list of wheat flour substitutes that may be used by bakers, as listed in the new regulations, are bran, shorts and middlings, corn flour, cornmeal, edible cornstarch, hominy, corn grits, barley flour, rolled oats, oatmeal, rice, rice flour, buckwheat flour, potato flour, sweet potato flour, Milo flours and similar flours and meals, bean meal, peanut meal, casava, taro and banana flours.

Bread made of graham or whole wheat flour will be regarded as bread made with substitute flour.

If potatoes are used as a wheat flour substitute four pounds must be used where one of some other substitute is required because of the high percentage of water in potatoes.

Bakers are urged to purchase substitutes in their own communities wherever possible.

CALIFORNIA AFFECTED.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Several hundred small baking establishments in California will be affected by President Wilson's proclamation of today ordering the licensing of all bakery concerns using more than three barrels a month, it

Executive.

"CULMINATING CRISIS OF THE WAR THIS YEAR."

Message of the President to Farmers. Every Man's Future Fortune is in the Balance.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—In a message to the nation's farmers delivered today to an agricultural conference at Urbana, Ill., President Wilson said he thought statesmen on both sides of the water realized that the culminating crisis of the war had come and this year's achievements would decide it.

The message, which the President intended to present personally until attacked by a cold several days ago, was delivered by President James of the University of Illinois. Recounting the aggressions of Germany, the president said:

"We are fighting, therefore, as truly for the liberty and self-government of the United States as if the war of our own revolution had to be fought over again; and every man in every business in the United States must know by this time that his whole future fortune lies in the balance.

"Our national life and our whole future development will pass under the sinister influence of foreign control if we do not win. We must win, therefore, and we shall win. I need not ask you to pledge our lives and fortunes with those of the rest of the nation to the accomplishment of this great end.

"You will realize, as I think statesmen on both sides of the water realize, that the culminating crisis of the struggle has come and that the achievements of this year on one side or the other must determine the issue."

The President's message said:

"I am very sorry indeed that I can not be present in person at the Urbana conference. I should like to enjoy the benefit of the inspiration and exchange of counsel which I know I should obtain, but in the circumstances it has seemed impossible for me to be present, and therefore I can only send you in that earnest message expressing my interest and the thoughts which such a conference must bring prominently into every mind.

"I need not tell you, for I am sure you realize as keenly as I do, that we are, as a nation, in the presence of a great task which demands supreme sacrifice and endeavor of every one of us. We can give everything that is needed with the greater willingness and even satisfaction because the object of the war in which we are engaged is the greatest that free men have ever undertaken. It is to prevent the life of the world from being determined and the fortunes of men everywhere affected by small groups of military masters who seek their own interest and the selfish dominion throughout the world of the governments they unhappily for the moment control.

WAR NECESSARY.

"You will not need to be convinced that it was necessary for us as a free people to take part in this war. It has raised its evil hand against us. The rulers of Germany had sought to exercise their power in such a way as to shut off our economic life so far as our intercourse with Europe was concerned and to confine our people within the Western Hemisphere while they accomplished purposes which would have permanently impaired and impeded every process of our national life and have put the fortunes of America at the mercy of the imperial government of Germany.

"This was no threat. It has become a reality. Their hand of violence had been laid upon our own people and our own property in flagrant violation not only of justice but of the well recognized and long-standing covenants of international law and treaty. We are fighting, therefore, as truly for the liberty and self-government of the United States as if the war of our own Revolution had to be fought over again, and every man in every business in the United States must know by this time that his whole future fortune lies in the balance. Our national life and our whole future development will pass under the sinister influence of foreign control if we do not win. We must win, therefore, and we shall win. I need not ask you to pledge your lives and fortunes with those of the rest of the nation to the accomplishment of that great end.

STRUGGLE AT CRISIS.

"You will realize as I think statesmen on both sides of the water realize that the culminating crisis of the struggle has come and that the achievements of this year on the one side or the other must determine the issue. It has turned out that the forces that fight for freedom, the freedom of men all over the world, as well as our own, depend upon us in an extraordinary and unexpected degree for sustenance, for the supply of the materials by which men are to live and to fight, and it will be our glory when the war is over that we have supplied these materials and supplied them abundantly, and it will be all the more glory because in

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Agriculture.

FARM LABOR TO ESCAPE ARMY SERVICE, IS PLAN.

Furloughs at Planting and Harvest Asked by the President.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

TOPEKA (Kan.) Jan. 31.—It is the desire of the administration that farmers "essential to the continued and undiminished operation of farms," may be given deferred classification in the draft and that furlough may be granted at planting and harvest seasons to those already in service, according to a letter received by Gov. Capper today from President Wilson. The Governor had written the President urging the furloughing of skilled farmers at harvest time and steps to prevent the drafting of farm laborers in view of the serious farm labor shortage in Kansas.

President Wilson wrote in reply:

"Under the new selective service regulations under which the present classification of registrants is now progressing in very specific terms in those regulations it is provided that skilled farm laborers essential to the continued and undiminished operation of farms shall be deferred in class II. It is our present hopes and belief that we shall be able to raise all the forces in immediate prospect without invading any deferred class and therefore we can assume, I think, that future drafts will not interfere with our supply of skilled farm labor.

"I also had very prominently in mind the advisability of furloughing selected men during planting and harvesting time and to this end the War Department has asked of Congress authority to grant such furloughs without pay, whenever, in the opinion of the Secretary of War, the military situation justifies such a step. Of course, it is impossible to say in advance what the changing conditions of warfare may impose upon us, but I can assure you that, if this authority is granted by Congress, we shall permit these furloughs whenever it is possible to do so.

"I take it that what I have said is precisely responsive to what you have in mind and I hope and believe that the various selection boards composed of men of your choice will exercise the authority to defer skilled farm labor in such a way as to meet the situation you present in the fullest way it could be met under our present circumstances."

WOMAN LAWMAKER HUGS THE GOVERNOR.

EXECUTIVE'S WIFE WATCHES HUSBAND'S DIGNITY GET JOLTED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

DENVER (Colo.) Jan. 31.—Colorado's Governor and his "traditional" dignity received a jolt night before last. Mrs. Agnes Riddle, State Senator, was the direct cause. It happened at the dairymen's ball at El Jebel Temple.

Mrs. Riddle, who owns a dairy ranch near Sullivan, Colo., was one of the hostesses at the ball. She had invited the Governor and his wife and they appeared a bit late.

When the Governor arrived Mrs. Riddle "spotted him." Leaving her dancing partner in the middle of the floor, she rushed up to the Governor and threw both arms about his neck. The Governor turned a bit red and lost his dignity—while several dairymen and their partners tittered.

Mrs. Gunter laughed heartily at her husband's discomfiture.

POSTAL EMPLOYEES' WAGE RAISE PLANNED.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—General increases of salaries of postal employees are embodied in a bill ordered favorably reported to the House today by the Postoffice Committee.

Thou Shalt.

"GIVE US PEACE NOW," CRY OF GERMAN LABOR.

No Annexations, no Indemnities, no Pan-Germanism, Formula of the Clamor of the Masses.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 31.—The military commander at Hamburg has ordered a cessation of the strike there, says the Cologne Gazette. The dispatch adds that the commander also ordered that future strikes be avoided.

Clergymen vainly exhorted the strikers in Hamburg yesterday to continue their work, the Cologne Gazette says. The workers proceeded to the trades' union headquarters and adopted a resolution opposing the Pan-German Fatherland party and demanding immediate peace without annexations or indemnities, better labor conditions and improvement of the food supply.

A deputation waited on the general in command of the district and said the strikers would not resort to violence.

Evidence of the extent of the strike in Hamburg is found in the Cologne Gazette, which says that almost all the shipyard laborers of that city have quit work. After the men in the Vulcan yards walked out the others struck yesterday, declaring their solidarity with the Vulcan workers.

Intimate Relations.

HOW GERMAN RIOTING AFFECTS MUNITION PLANTS

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—A correspondent of the Associated Press stationed at Berlin until America entered the war, and who recently returned to the United States from Copenhagen, where he went after the outbreak of hostilities, has written the following statement of the effect strikes in German cities are likely to have upon the production of munitions.

"Strikes at Adlershof, the Berlin suburb mentioned in today's dispatches, will affect one of the important centers of the German military airplane and balloon industry. Important war chemical works, specializing in the manufacture of constituents for munitions, also are located in the Berlin suburbs.

"Spandau, where the strike also is reported spreading, is the site of one of Germany's big arsenals, and a center for the manufacture of ammunition as well as of electrical plants devoted to war work.

"Spandau and Adlershof differ from the usual German industrial centers in that large numbers of skilled workmen exempted from military service because of their greater value in war plants are employed there rather than the women and youths who make up a high proportion of Germany's industrial army in war times. These men are largely enrolled in the ranks of the radical Socialist party and have been restive and dissatisfied with the government for a long time.

"The Spandau workmen formed the backbone of Germany's first political strike during the war, called as a protest against the conviction of Liebknecht, the radical Socialist member of the Reichstag, and held out the longest of any during the April protest against the reduction of the bread rations.

"The success of the present German political strike are significant in that for the first time the leaders of the majority, or 'tame,' Socialists under Scheidemann are aligned with the radical Socialists. During the strikes occasioned by the trial of Liebknecht and by the reduction of the bread ration in April, 1917, the influence of Scheidemann and the other conservative Socialist leaders was thrown against the walkouts, and they cooperated with the government in inducing the men and women to return to work. Majority Socialist endeavors were also primarily responsible for the failure of the general political strike which radical Socialists attempted to launch on May 1, 1916. Now Scheidemann and his associates are represented on the general strike committee with Haase and other leaders of the radical element.

"This change of heart on the part of the 'government Socialists' apparently has been brought about by the spirit shown by the government in the Russo-German peace negotiations at Brest-Litovsk; in the treatment of the Prussian franchise reform, and also by the swing of the Socialist masses away from the moderate programme of the Scheidemann forces to the radical 'stop-the-war-at-any-price' demands of the radicals."

As Viewed in Washington.

FIRST THROES OF REVOLT GRIP GERMANY, IS BELIEF.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Jan. 31.—Without laying undue emphasis on recent developments in Germany, this government nevertheless believes that Germany at the present moment is undergoing the first bona-fide protest against the domination of the militaristic classes.

Regarding the cause for the general strikes and political developments of the last two weeks in Germany this government is still in doubt for lack of reliable information.

In high quarters the general situation, involving the aggressive peace terms proposed by the militarist faction to Russia, the food situation, political conditions and a growing desire to bring about peace by understanding, is said to be the apparent reason for the present troubles of the German government.

It has been known for some months that since the adoption of the Reichstag resolution last spring favoring peace overtures there has been an organized movement of certain elements in Germany behind the Reichstag majority to see to it that the purpose of the resolution was put into effect. That organization has even extended into those portions of Russia inhabited by Germans and more and more of the commercial leaders of Germany have swung into line for the aims outlined by the Reichstag majority.

The men to whom the German government has looked in large part for the financing of the war were opposed to war with Italy. They believed that Germany should keep a back door open through one of the major powers in Europe, not only for commercial reasons, but for diplomatic reasons.

When Italy fell away, and the United States entered the war, and South America began to follow the lead of the United States, it produced among members of this class in Germany, who are looking to the economic future of the empire, almost a panic. The result has been immense strengthening of those factions in Germany favorable to an honorable peace by agreement and opposed to a peace forced by arms.

It is the belief in many quarters that the Bolshevik attitude toward Germany has proved a detriment to Germany and a real benefit to Russia.

There is also a feeling in many quarters here that, while the militarist class in Germany may succeed in overcoming the present protest against its conduct of the war, nevertheless the people of Germany are not prepared to withstand another Verdun and that the proposed German drive on the west front may be seriously affected by the recent political developments.

Military Rule.

HAMBURG PROCLAIMED UNDER STATE OF SIEGE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 31.—A state of siege has been declared at Hamburg, Altona and Wandsbeck, according to the Hamburg Echo, a Socialist newspaper.

Altona and Wandsbeck are in the Hamburg district. Altona adjoins Hamburg. Its population in 1900 was 161,808. It is the seat of important industries. Wandsbeck is three miles northeast of Hamburg. In 1900 its population was 20,666. It has large brewing and distilling establishments.

THE DAY'S NEWS SUMMED UP.

THE SKY. Clear. Wind at 5 p.m., southwest; velocity, eight miles. Thermometer, highest, 62 deg.; lowest, 46 deg. Forecast: Friday, fair; killing frost in morning.

For complete weather report see page 8 of Part I.

THE CITY. The Los Angeles County Civil Service Commission discharged Walter A. Lewis as County Auditor and appointed A. J. Cox to the place.

An automobile man died mysteriously in a downtown hotel. A woman who posed as his wife and the man's valuables disappeared simultaneously.

A woman terrorized Broadway by firing a revolver at her husband.

The City Council in caucus finally agreed to open Broadway from Pico to Washington streets after protests of land owners were denied.

The Superior Court overruled union's demurrers in injunction suit and now the union must defend the action started by steel factory.

Sawtelle, with a dual civic administration, is approaching a crisis.

Former State Senator Prescott F. Cogswell was chosen to head the Food Administration's committee on sugar beet inquiry.

A traffic manager declared that Pacific Coast shippers will be hard hit by the 15 per cent. freight rate raise to go into effect.

Conservation was the theme on which many addresses made to graduating school students of Los Angeles were based.

A woman asked the police to find her missing daughter whom she believes was kidnaped by a spiritualist who was treating her.

Woman asked an annulment of her marriage to a man whom she says she wed while intoxicated and while engaged to another.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Charging that Nance deserted her after securing a marriage license a young woman now seeks to have him brought to book and threatens to sue for breach of promise.

Voters of Palo Verde Valley pass big bond issue by overwhelming majority for the construction of levees to protect against floods.

Funeral services for noted editor who died suddenly at Santa Monica will be conducted in that city today.

Dr. Reemko of Springfield, O., accepts call to fill pulpit vacated by Dr. Hugh K. Walker at Long Beach.

Hotel Green formally opened with dinner-dansant, at which brilliant assemblage enjoy a splendid programme.

Sugar beet growers call meeting of association for the purpose of preparing to co-operate with the recently-appointed commission to investigate conditions in the industry.

PACIFIC SLOPE. "Saloons must go," Daniels requests City Council of Vallejo to oust liquor to protect sailors at Mare Island navy yard.

Stanislaus county food administrators for California are named by Food Administrator Merritt; others to be named in large cities.

State cannot force gas company to sell its plant, is ruling; corporation's counsel refuses to dicker and deal is declared off.

Several hundred small bakery establishment in California affected by President's proclamation requiring licenses for baking bread.

Government transfers 28,948 acres of public domain to State in return for school lands in forest reserves.

WASHINGTON. Secretary of Treasury McAdoo confers with Congress leaders regarding war financing; increased taxes believed certain; war corporation urged.

President, in message to farmers' conference declares country needs their aid; declares war crisis is at hand.

Food license rules extended to include all bakers who use more than three barrels of flour monthly. Importing of green coffee also to be licensed.

GENERAL EASTERN. Massachusetts fishermen oppose sale of Canadian catch in United States; assert customers would be benefited but hardship to producers.

New type of anti-submarine craft is to be manufactured by Henry Ford for the Navy Department; factory will be at Detroit.

United States prevents sailing of Spanish ships from Atlantic ports following that country's obstruction of Allied commerce.

President's address to farmers strengthens Wall-street trading; carriers advance on rate increase granted in intermountain rate case.

FOREIGN. Russian anarchists again menace Ambassador Francis; demand release of Emma Goldman, Berkman and Mooney.

Half to three-quarters of million men reported involved in uprisings in Germany; demand immediate peace with no Pan-Germanism.

Socialist party leaders in Germany request immediate convening of the Reichstag following outbreaks of labor over the empire.

MEXICO. Rumors of new movement against Mexican government assert brother of former Minister of War is leading troops against Federals.

THE GREAT WAR. In France and Belgium the fighting continues to be carried out mainly by the artillery wings of the belligerents.

Paris for the first time since last year has been subjected to a German air raid. Wednesday night a number of enemy machines flew over the French capital, dropping bombs—fourteen tons of them, according to the Berlin War Office.

Reports have it that King Ludwig of Bavaria is in favor of "security peace."

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The Torch of Liberty.

SLAVS SETTING GERMANY AFIRE WITH DEMOCRACY.

Observations of Col. Thompson are Ordered Printed in the Congressional Record.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—On the request of Senator Calder, the Senate today ordered printed in the Congressional Record a speech of William B. Thompson, delivered in New York recently, in which he described conditions now existing in Russia, growing out of the Bolshevik movement. Col. Thompson recently spent four months in Russia at the head of the American Red Cross expedition.

"It was a story," said the New York Senator, referring to Col. Thompson's speech, "in effect that the hated Bolshevik leaders, who had been proclaimed as paid German spies, would not make a separate peace with Germany unless the attitude of countries formerly in alliance with Russia forced them to do so and that the Russian democracy under the leadership of the Maximalists was the greatest enemy the Kaiser had.

"In other words, the Russian democracy, alongside of Germany and Austria, was setting the population of those two countries on fire with the spirit of democracy and the fervor of anti-Kaiserism; that Austria was already yielding to the propaganda from Russia and that Germany had been smitten, so to speak, so hard by its own boomerang that in time the democratic upheaval in that country would compel the German General Staff to yield its attitude of annexations and world domination."

TO ORGANIZE RED ARMY.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Jan. 31.—A Bolshevik decree establishing "an all-Russian collegium" for guidance in organizing the "workmen's and peasants' Red army of the Russian councils' republic," is announced in a Russian official wireless statement received here.

Another decree assigns 20,000,000 rubles from the war fund for the organization of the Red army.

The Pravda prints a rumor that Rumania lately has made a separate agreement with the Central Powers and suggests that this may include compensation for Rumania in Bessarabia.

The Bolshevik government, according to dispatches from Petrograd, continues to claim considerable military success in the Ukraine and elsewhere.

CLAIM TOWNS CAPTURED.

The capture of the towns of Kertch, Theodosia and Yalta, in the Crimea, is claimed by the Bolsheviki. It is said that the Cossack General Dutoff has been defeated and the capture of Orenburg is imminent.

Special dispatches from Petrograd concur in the belief that all the Cossacks will declare themselves on the side of the Bolsheviki.

Those opposed to the Bolsheviki, according to the Petrograd correspondent of the Daily Express, admit a growing conviction that the Bolsheviki have come to stay, "if not permanently, at least an inconveniently long time." He says the Bolsheviki have won the confidence and support of the people, as the provisional government never did.

BOURGEOISIE HAS PASSED.

The correspondent says that the bourgeoisie seem almost to have ceased to exist in Russia. A person may travel the length and breadth of Russia, and see only swarms of peasants and workmen.

The Constitutional Democratic party, the correspondent adds, is the only serious menace to the Workmen's and Soldiers' Councils, "but, though Russia is a land of miracles, it would be a miracle indeed if the Constitutional Democrats turned the scale against the strenuous Bolsheviki."

Demobilization of four more classes of the army has been ordered by the government. All men 31 years of age also are to be relieved of army duty.

RED ARMY FOR EUROPE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PETROGRAD, Jan. 31.—An official statement issued today by the Bolshevik government says that "the new workmen's and peasants' red army will serve to support the coming social revolution in Europe."

Gaining Momentum.

GERMAN RIOTS SPREAD; MILLION MEN QUIT WORK.

Berlin Semi-official Statement Denies Any Disturbances.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 31.—The number of strikers in Berlin is estimated at about 120,000, according to a semi-official statement issued in Berlin yesterday when there had been only an inconsiderable increase in the strike.

The Berlin newspapers, with few exceptions, have been published. The streets of the German capital, the statement adds, show no signs of a strike. All traffic is proceeding quietly and undisturbed.

The statement says there have been no disturbances anywhere in the empire.

LABOR MEETING TODAY.

Both in Berlin and the provinces the strikes are spreading, according to Wednesday's edition of the Koelnische Volks Zeitung, which reports that representatives of labor in the various cities in the industrial region were expected to meet in Berlin Tuesday.

Agitation for a general strike in Munich is said to have failed after a stormy meeting, but the movement spread to Nuremburg and Furth, the largest manufacturing towns in Bavaria.

The newspaper says that the demand of the fatherland party for the continuance of the war and the bad food supply in the towns were the reasons given for the strike at several meetings.

SPREADING AROUND BERLIN.

The strike has been extended in districts near Berlin, especially in Tegel, Aldershof, Spandau and Mariendorf, where 500,000 men have quit work. A similar number of workmen are on strike in the remainder of the empire.

Important war industries are located in Spandau, a city of some 70,000 inhabitants, nine miles west of Berlin. The government has large establishments there for the manufacture of artillery, firearms and ammunition. Tegel, Aldershof and Mariendorf are smaller towns, all within a few miles of Berlin.

TERRIFIC EXPLOSION.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ZURICH, Wednesday, Jan. 30.—A tremendous explosion, accompanied by gun fire and followed by a huge column of fire, was heard in the direction of Friedrichshafen this morning, a telegram received at St. Gall from Rosenberg, on Lake Constance, reports. The explosion was probably the result of an ariel attack on the Zeppelin works at Friedrichshafen.

BIG GUN DUEL RAGES IN FLIREY TERRAIN.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Jan. 31.—The War Office announcement says:

"There is nothing to report except artillery action, which was quite violent in the region of Flirey.

"On January 30, a German airplane was brought down by our pilots; three others fell inside their own lines.

"Eastern theater, January 30: Near Lake Doiran, the British troops carried out a successful raid, which enabled them to bring back prisoners. In the neighborhood of Monastir there were reciprocal artillery actions. An enemy airplane was brought down near Doiran."

THREE FRENCH SHIPS ARE SUNK IN A WEEK.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Jan. 30.—Three French ships of less than 1600 tons were sunk during the week ending January 25. Three French vessels were unsuccessfully attacked.

BRITISH IN AMERICA URGED TO VOLUNTEER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—An appeal to British and Canadian citizens in the United States to volunteer for the service of their country rather than wait for the draft convention between Great Britain and the United States to go into effect was made tonight by Brig.-Gen. W. A. White, head of the British recruiting mission in this country.

He explained that by volunteering, the Britishers would be increasing the man power of the Allies, while if they waited to be drafted, they simply would be taking the places of Americans who might otherwise be called.

DIDN'T HEAR ENGINE COMING.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN JOSE, Jan 31.—H. A. Saxe, Christian Science practitioner, 32 years old, was struck and instantly killed by a Southern Pacific switch engine here late last night. Saxe apparently did not hear the approach of the engine, as he tried to cross the railroad tracks, trainmen said.

"THE TIMES" DAY BY DAY CIRCULATION GAINS

GAINS, gains, gains, from all over the Southland are added to The Times circulation week after week, for daily and Sunday. Following are the latest day-by-day figures as compared with last year:

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January 25, 1917...	62,800	January 24, 1918...	72,200	9,500
January 26, 1917...	63,313	January 25, 1918...	72,825	10,037
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January 30, 1917...	62,626	January 29, 1918...	72,676	10,048
January 31, 1917...	62,664	January 30, 1918...	74,144	10,480

PERSHING ATTENDS ALLIED WAR COUNCIL.

CROWDS FILL STREET BEFORE PALACE WHERE MEETING IS HELD.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

VERSAILLES (France) Jan. 30. (Wednesday)—Gen. Pershing, the American commander, attended today's meeting of the supreme war council here, together with Gen. Tasker H. Bliss, the Chief of Staff of the American army.

Today's session aroused more interest than the preceding meetings of the body, as was evidenced by the crowd which gathered. The Boulevard de la Reine was so thickly thronged that the police guard was reinforced to keep the crowd out of the Trianon Palace, where the session took place.

The meeting opened at 3 o'clock p.m., with Premier Clemenceau presiding. Gen. Petain, Gen. Foch and Gen. Weygand sat at the Premier's left. David Lloyd George, the British Premier, had Gen. Sir William R. Robertson, chief of the general staff, and Maj.-Gen. Sir Henry Hughes Wilson, subchief of staff, at his left. Gen. Bliss and Gen. Pershing were in front at the right of Prof. Orlando, the Italian Premier, Baron Sonnino, Italian Foreign Minister and Gen. Cadorna beside them at the left.

The meeting was concluded at about 5 o'clock.

TEXTILE OPERATIVES GET EIGHTH INCREASE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

FALL RIVER (Mass.) Jan. 31.—An advance in wages of 12½ per cent. to 35,000 mill operatives by textile manufacturers of this city is a fair offer, Charles V. Ellis, Federal arbiter decided today, settling the wage controversy. The increase will be effective for six months.

Food Rule Extended.

(Continued from First Page.)

was estimated at the offices of the Federal Food Administration for California.

The new orders will affect private lunchrooms, small restaurants, women's exchanges and mining and logging camps that use between three and ten barrels of flour a month. Previous regulations which provided for the licensing of all concerns which consumed ten or more barrels a month had resulted in putting 1200 firms in this State under license, the Food Administration announced.

WHEATLESS CRACKERS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CINCINNATI (O.) Jan. 31.—According to the wishes of the national Food Administration, the Biscuit and Cracker Manufacturers' Association of the United States has decided to cut down the use of wheat flour 30 per cent. in the making of crackers, commencing tomorrow, and to make and nationally advertise a wheatless cracker to be known as "victory cracker" and a sweet cracker to be called Liberty cookie.

POISON MILK BOTTLE WOMAN IS CONVICTED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CLEVELAND, Jan. 31.—Mrs. Elsite Bass was convicted of manslaughter in the Criminal Court here today for the murder of 9-year-old John Perko, November 26. She will probably be sentenced Saturday.

Perko died and two companions were made seriously ill after having drunk milk believed to have been taken from Mrs. Bass's porch. It was charged the woman placed rat poison in the bottles to apprehend thieves who had been stealing milk.

Critical.

SUMMON THE REICHSTAG IMMEDIATELY, IS CRY.

Strikers Resolve to Oppose to the Utmost All Reprisals.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Jan. 31.—The Socialist party leaders, according to a statement in the Berliner Tageblatt, forwarded by the Amsterdam correspondent of the Central News, have asked President Kaempf of the Reichstag to summon the Reichstag immediately, in view of the alarming events of the past few days.

At a meeting of the Berlin strikers Wednesday, the Tageblatt adds, a resolution was passed declaring that the strikers would oppose to the utmost of their power any reprisals against their leaders or representatives.

MEAGER REPORTS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Jan. 31.—Only a few telegrams have arrived in Copenhagen from Germany, an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from the Danish capital says, and news is scarce owing to the fact that most of the important Berlin newspapers have not been published.

The military authorities in the Berlin district, according to the Berlin correspondent of the Copenhagen Politiken, have prohibited all meetings convened to discuss public questions, as well as workmen's meetings and demonstrations.

CEASE WORK AT KIEL.

Fifty thousand workmen have ceased work at Kiel.

The strike is now general in the Chemnitz district, which is the most important industrial section in Saxony.

Field Marshal von Hindenburg's proclamation appealing to the workers to stop striking appeared on all the street corners of Berlin yesterday.

The Germania of Berlin says that Wairaff, Minister of the Interior, still refuses to meet delegates of the workmen and the strike continues to grow in various German towns, according to this authority.

The fact that Berlin is wrapped in a thick fog has made it impossible for the authorities to prevent the dissemination of pamphlets, the report states.

CONFLICTING VIEWS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Jan. 31.—Among the views expressed in special dispatches from Holland in regard to the German strike is one that the German government is exploiting what hardly amounts to more than a peace-time demonstration, with the object, if possible, of producing a more serious movement in Allied countries, where it apparently believes the governments are less able than itself to control such movements.

Another correspondent gathers from the German press that the German government intends to make the strike movement a pretext for breaking off the Brest-Litovsk negotiations, and is ascribing it to the machinations of the Bolsheviki, with whom, therefore, it would be impossible to hold further conferences.

WARNS STRIKERS.

The semi-official Norddeutsche Allgemeine Zeitung, commenting on the political aims of the strike committee, warns the strikers that they will achieve nothing by their action in reference to the negotiations at Brest-Litovsk. Instead of furthering the peace movement, it says, the strikes will prejudice the negotiations and encourage her enemies to resist Germany's just claims. The newspaper adds that the government expects the strikers as the result of calm consideration to realize the foolishness of their attitude and resume work.

FRONTIERS CLOSED.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Jan. 31.—No one has been permitted to cross the Swiss frontier from Germany since Tuesday morning, according to the Daily News correspondent at Geneva.

Private reports received in Switzerland represent the strike situation as having taken a serious turn late Tuesday night. The refusal of Wairaff, the Minister of the Interior, to confer with the strike leaders, is said to have infuriated the strikers.

The central strike committee in Berlin now has been in session continuously since noon Monday. Assurances of solidarity are said to have reached the committee Tuesday from Leipzig, Dusseldorf and Barmen, notwithstanding the rigid military control throughout Germany.

EXPECT CRISIS SOON.

Opinion in Geneva, the correspondent says, is that the strike movement will reach a crisis soon. It is felt that the movement will either collapse or take a turn which may force the German government to its knees.

The report of a strike in the works at Essen is not confirmed, but the Munich Post says Dr. Krupp von Bohlen has issued a statement to the workmen in the Krupp works urging them "to keep steady nerves in this moment of crisis and to remember their brothers in the field."

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[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Between 6,000,000 and 10,000,000 barrels of fuel oil will be saved yearly in California if projected power plants are constructed, according to testimony today before the State Railroad Commission by John A. Britton, general manager of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company. The hearing was to effect the greatest possible saving of oil as a war and economic measure.

Britton submitted a report drawn up by executives of the Pacific Gas and Electric, Great Western Power, Sierra and San Francisco Power, Northern California Power and California-Oregon Power companies, showing that these companies stand ready to pool their interests in response to the government demand for fuel-oil conservation.

Construction of a 12,500-kilowatt plant by the Great Western Power Company at Big Bend, Or., and transmission of surplus power from the California-Oregon Company's territory, a distance of 200 miles to Colusa, were suggested as the first moves in the conservation plan. Britton said it would be two years before any plan could be put into operation which would effect any appreciable fuel saving.

A plan is in operation at present, Britton testified, which will produce 12,000,000 kilowatt hours a year and effect a saving of 60,000,000 barrels of oil through utilization of hydro-electric power.

The principal companies involved have not sufficient hydro-electric power to carry their peak loads and must utilize steam power on that account, Britton said. He asserted, however, that a gradual decimation of the system plants could be effected through the linking of hydro-electric and oil-fuel system, and named the Pitt, Feather and Stanislaus rivers and other points where additional water-power plants could be located to advantage.

Britton contended that the question of financing the different units projected would have to be left to the individual companies. His company had already moved in meeting the demand for greater power by ordering a turbine plant which could be operated until replaced with a water-power unit, he said.

ACCUSES CITY.

Most of the hearing was taken up with a discussion of the efforts being made by the city of Los Angeles to take over the system of the Los Angeles Gas and Electric Company. Paul Overton, attorney for this company, flatly refused to negotiate with the city toward this end until the emergency which called for the conservation of fuel oil had passed. He charged that the city was impugning the patriotism of the company "for not selling its plant at a loss."

"We will not be crucified on the cross of so-called patriotism," Overton remarked.

CANNOT FORCE SALE.

Albert Lee Stephens, City Attorney of Los Angeles, suggested that the Railroad Commission arrange a conference between the contending interests, but Overton opposed this. It was decided that the State could not force the company to sell.

E. L. Scattergood, electrical engineer for the city of Los Angeles, testified that proposals had been made to expend the $2,000,000 voted by the city for a power-distribution system for developing the Owens River hydro-electric project, but there would be no way of utilizing the surplus power thus created.

Commissioner Frank R. Devlin, who conducted the hearing, announced at the close of the session that the taking of testimony would be concluded for the present, but further hearings will be called by the commission as the occasion arises. He also stated that the commission would endeavor to reach some sort of a conclusion in regard to the Los Angeles controversy.

WHY NOT USE OWN CURRENT?

Contract with Private Party for Lighting, Running City Hall Up.

Notwithstanding the recommendation of the Board of Public Works, the Council may not enter into a contract to pay Willard H. Stimson $350 per month for furnishing light, heat and power for the City Hall. The matter was referred to the Finance Committee of the Council. Chairman Mallard said he believed the city should furnish light and power from the aqueduct supply, and he objected to the proposed contract. Last year Mr. Stimson took the contract for $300 per month.

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EFFECTIVE INTERIOR MEASURES WOULD RELIEVE TROOPS SAYS GENERAL.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BOSTON, Jan. 31.—An appeal to manufacturers to help themselves and their country by taking effective measures to safeguard their plants from clandestine enemies and disloyal citizens, instead of relying on military aid, was issued tonight by Brig.-Gen. John A. Johnston, commanding the department of the northwest.

"The soldier," said Gen. Johnston, "once having stepped across the line into the field of soldierly preparation for efficient life sacrifice should not be called back at the expense of that efficiency at this time to do the police work of guarding the property of others left safe behind that line.

"Probably 90 per cent. of the work of effective precaution is interior effort, legitimately the duty of the plant corporation and the balance, or exterior precautionary protection is the duty of the municipal or State police power."

EFFICIENCY OF WAR BOARDS IS PRAISED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31. — Praise of the manner in which affairs of the American Red Cross and the United States Shipping Board are conducted at their Washington headquarters was given today by Mayor Rolph on his return from a month's trip to the national capital.

Rolph went over the affairs of the Red Cross with Henry P. Davidson, national head of the organization, and said the management of the society was all that it should be.

Regarding the workings of the Shipping Board he said: "Edward N. Hurley, chairman of the board, has handled the shipping problems of the world, for they virtually center in his office, in a manner that leaves nothing to be desired."

VERY COLD WEATHER REPORTED IN MONTANA

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

HELENA (Mont.) Jan. 31.—Montana is in the grip of the coldest wave this winter, minimum temperatures of 38 below zero being recorded at Billings and Havre. At Helena the minimum was 32 below this morning.

Fortunately the cold wave is not accompanied by snow or blizzards and no live stock losses are looked for.

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British Views.

LONDON THINKS GERMAN STRIKE MORE MENACING.

Socialists' Hour to Get Peace by Violence May Have Arrived.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Jan. 31.—All dispatches received in London this morning show that the strike menace in Germany increased yesterday, even a semi-official telegram from Berlin saying "only an inconsiderable extension" took place.

While the opinion prevails in some quarters of England that exaggerated accounts of the strike have been circulated by the German government in order to influence the engineers on the Clyde and other centers in England, who have threatened to lay down their tools unless the government gave satisfactory guarantees that it would open peace negotiations, as well as the pacifists in the Entente countries generally, there must have been, and still is, a very considerable stoppage of work in important war industries.

DELAYED REFORM CAUSE.

The strike, which was begun in Berlin chiefly because of dissatisfaction over the delay in carrying out the Prussian franchise reform, has more or less spread throughout the provinces; and, according to a Hamburg Socialist paper, a state of siege has been declared in that city and its vicinity, where strikes have occurred in the Vulcan Shipbuilding Works and the plant of Bluhm and Voss.

The strikers' committee, which was formed in Berlin with representatives of the two wings of the Socialist party as members of it, has formulated certain demands. An early peace without annexations or indemnities, as opposed to the Fatherland party agitation for the continuance of the war, seems the greatest desire of the workers, whose threatened reprisals, according to one report, already have commenced throughout the country owing to the refusal of Wairaff, Minister of the Interior, to meet the strikers. His action in going into conference with Lieut.-Gen. von Stein, former Prussian Minister of war, and now commander of the home forces, possibly with a view to suppressing the strikes by military force, has further angered the strikers.

PRESS CONDEMNS.

The German press generally condemns the strike and warns the strikers that they have gone the wrong way about getting an early peace, and are, instead, harming their own country.

Some of the papers, however, blamed the government. The Magdeburg Volksstimme, for example, says that there is a limit to the patience of every people, adding: "It is the task of a sagacious government policy not to allow things to go so far. How things develop depends far less on anonymous circulars than on what a people has to expect from its government."

The Cologne Volks Zeitung lectures the Socialist leaders and says the fact that representatives of the majority wing have joined the strike committee indicates that the Social Democracy believes its hour has come to bring about its political peace programme by violence.

The Cologne Gazette says that the workers' council, formed at Vienna during the recent strike there, has become a permanent body.

Awful Situation.

BERLIN WITHOUT FOOD, HEAT, LIGHT, CLOTHING.

Hindenburg Loathed by Wretched Inhabitants of the Kaiser's Capital.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

LONDON, Jan. 31.—The following account of conditions in Berlin is given by a neutral who left Germany in the middle of December:

The situation in Berlin is absolutely awful. For the great mass of the population there is hardly any light, warmth, clothing or boots, and an appalling lack of food. The work of the city is carried on by decrepit men and by women who are reduced to nearly the same condition.

On one occasion I saw a coal cart, with Russian prisoners in the driver's seat and four women literally in rags carrying off bags of coal into a house. The linen worn by both sexes is absolutely filthy, for there is no soap with which to wash it.

There is an intensely bitter feeling among the people against the government, and there would undoubtedly be a revolt, but for the fact that the people are always saying, "women cannot make a revolution." The government knows all this and forbids able-bodied men returning to Berlin from the front. Officers are allowed to return there only in exceptionally rare instances.

Hindenburg is loathed by the people of Berlin. Placards with the picture of Hindenburg, such as those with Kitchener's picture in England at the beginning of the war, urging the population to subscribe to loans, to hold out, etc., are torn off by the people, though in South Germany they are not touched.

All over Berlin little notices are posted up offering a reward of 3000 marks to anyone giving information of persons who say anything against the government, the Emperor, the war, or officers.

The news is circulated sub rosa among officers that as the result of an explosion at Krupp's 250 airplanes were destroyed.

Officers also know that the Turks are utterly sick of the war. It is said that the Turks hoped the English would get through the Dardanelles and that had the English done so the Turks would have fallen on the necks of the English soldiers.

It appears that in the early stages of the peace negotiations some German officers of high rank who had gone to a Russian camp were shot on the way back. The father of one of them, a very high personage, was influential enough to obtain permission to bring the body of the officer to his home for burial. He took a coffin with him, but on his arrival the other German officers refused to help him carry the coffin and place the corpse in it, on the ground that they had to be buried where they fell.

Everything in being moved to the west, and, wherever it can be done double lines of rails are being laid, which also consoles the people, who believe this will enable the food to arrive more quickly from Russia.

CAVALRY REGIMENTS' COMMANDERS NAMED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31. — The War Department has approved a recommendation of Gen. Pershing that fifteen cavalry regiments be formed for the National Army. This was disclosed today in the announcement of the appointment of commanders for seven of these regiments.

The commanders, regiments and locations announced today are:

Col. Sterling P. Adams, 301, Camp Fremont, Cal.; Col. George R. Pritchard, 302, Camp Fremont; Col. Samuel McP. Rutherford, 303, Leon Springs, Tex.; Col. L. C. Andrews, 304, Leon Springs; Col. Elbert E. Saxton, 305, Leon Springs; Col. George O. Cress, 306, Fort Clark, Tex., and Col. E. L. Phillips, 307, Del Rio, Tex.

A division of regular cavalry is being formed at El Paso, Tex.

NO STRIKE PARLEYS, ASSERT AUTHORITIES.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 31.—The Berlin papers explain that the German authorities do not refuse to treat with the proper labor leaders regarding the strike. The government takes the position, however, that on important political questions it cannot negotiate with the workers, and in any case, with strikers.

Congestion.

SNOW BLOCKS COAL DELIVERY.

Fuel Shortage is Considered Inevitable in East.

Lack of Cars Forces Closing of War Industries.

Production About Third of Usual Amount.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—A new coal shortage as acute as that which two weeks ago brought a government order closing down industry, was regarded as inevitable by the Fuel Administration officials tonight, unless there is an immediate improvement in weather conditions.

Coal production this month fell off 16,000,000 tons—about one-third of the normal monthly output—according to reports to the National Coal Association, and snow and ice have so restricted railorad movement that the entire East, officials admit, faces a critical situation.

Under preferential orders issued at the time the closing decree was put into force, coal is moving first to ships, households, public institutions and a preferred list of war industries. Other industries, it is admitted, will suffer severely unless there is an immediate change in weather conditions.

OUTPUT CURTAILED.

The sixteen millions loss in production in January was due, the National Coal Association sets forth, entirely to car shortages. The output has been curtailed, it is declared, to an extent unequalled in years. For the four days from January 28th to 31st inclusive, the loss is put at 2,500,000 tons. The car shortage has been felt chiefly in the blk producing fields of West Virginia. There thousands of men are idle and cars awaiting movement for a fortnight.

Besides delaying the return of empty cars to the mines and thus retarding production the weather has slowed up the delivery of loaded cars and many cities in the East are almost entirely without supplies.

Fuel Administrator Garfield today took steps to put a stop to the issuing of widely different rulings by state and local fuel officials in connection with the enforcement of the Monday closing order. Hereafter before making general interpetations the local officials must consult with the National Administration and obtain permission.

SNOW FORECAST.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—A fuel famine in large sections of the East was imminent today unless the railroad administration found a way to speed up coal movements despite snow and ice storms which continue to hamper traffic.

Forecasts gave little basis for hope as snow was promised in most sections east of the Mississippi and there were indications that many industrial plants might be forced to close for lack of fuel.

SHIP PLANT TO CLOSE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

PORTLAND (Me.) Jan. 31.—The Bath Iron Works, employing hundreds of men on the construction of government craft, notified the State Fuel Administrator today, that the plant would shut down immediately for lack of coal. An urgent appeal was sent to Washington for relief.

A cargo of 1600 tons of bituminous coal, which arrived here today by steamer for a paper company, was commandeered for hospitals, hotels and apartment houses.

WEATHER ELSEWHERE.

All Middle West Very Cold, with no Signs of Relief—Lack of Coal Makes Situation Alarming.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Jan. 31.—Chicago is in for another siege of zero weather. The maximum temperature today was 14 deg., but it has dropped to one degree above zero tonight.

All the Middle West is very cold and forecasters say there will be no relief for several days. Eastern Canada shows 50 deg. below zero. Eastern States were slightly warmer today. The South is colder, with heavy winds amounting to tornadoes in some instances.

The return of zero weather with a coal famine general over the Middle West and the East, makes the situation alarming.

Temperatures elsewhere yesterday, as reported by the United States Weather Bureau of Los Angeles, were as follows:

	Max.	Min.		Max.	Min.
Abilene	22	12	Phoenix	62	38
Boise	22	10	Pittsburgh	26	24
Bonita	*60	40	Pomona	*58	34
Boston	20	10	Portland, Or.	34	24
Buffalo	18	10	Rapid City	4	-22
Calgary	28	-22	Red Bluff	58	42
Corona	*57	37	Redlands	*58	28
Denver	4	-10	Reno	40	16
Des Moines	6	-20	Riverside	*61	28
Dodge City	0	-2	Roseburg	46	30
Duluth	4	-28	Roswell	26	16
Durango	30	18	St. Louis	12	4
Escondido	*62	36	St. Paul	4	-24
Eureka	50	34	Sacramento	58	36
Flagstaff	34	12	Salt Lake City	20	18
Fresno	58	34	Santa Barbara	*59	30
Galveston	42	40	S. Bernardino	*61	35
Havre	22	8	San Diego	60	48
Helena	8		San Fernando	*55	27
Huron	6	-24	San Francisco	52	42
Independence		30	S. Lois Obispo	60	42
Jacksonville	50	48	Seattle	36	24
Kamloops	4	14	Sheridan	8	-32
Kansas City	6	8	Spokane	18	6
Knoxville	50	36	Swift Current	-2	-30
Los Angeles	62	40	Tonopah	32	14
Memphis	38	30	Tucson	70	
Modena	28	14	Tustin	62	30
Moorhead	4	-28	Washington	32	22
Mt. Wilson	*57	37	Williston	12	-32
Needles	60	42	Winnemucca	28	4
New Orleans	60	48	Winnipeg	12	-28
New York	32	22	Yuma	66	40
North Head	50	42			
North Platte	2	-18	*Previous day.		
Oklahoma	6	0	—Below zero.		
Pasadena	*59	35			

ANGLO-SLAV TREATY VOID, PERSIANS HEAR.

TROTZKY TELLS MINISTER INDEPENDENCE OF COUNTRY IS RECOGNIZED.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PETROGRAD, Jan. 30.—Foreign Minister Trotzky, according to the semi-official News Agency, has sent a letter to the Persian Minister at Petrograd, whom he addressed as "Citizen Ambassador," informing him that the government of the Russian republic makes this declaration:

"The Anglo-Russian agreement of 1907 was directed against the liberty and independence of the Persian people and is null and void for all time. Moreover, the government denounces all agreements preceding and following the said agreement, which may restrict the rights of the Persian people to a free and independent existence."

The Bolshevik Foreign Minister proceeds to assure the Persian Minister that any inconvenience caused the Persian people by the Russian troops in Persia is contrary to the intentions of the Russian government, which is taking every step to remove from Persia the former agents of Czarism and the imperialistic bourgeois, who are the enemies of both the Russian and Persian peoples.

Trotzky promises to punish any Russians convicted of irregular and brutal conduct in Persia to do everything in his power to insure the complete evacuation of Persia by Turkish and British troops and says he looks forward to the time when the Persian people will be free to develop their own resources.

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COMMONS REJECT LORDS' AMENDMENT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Jan. 30.—The House of Commons today by a vote of 223 to 113 rejected the amendment of the House of Lords to the representation of the people bill establishing the principle of proportional representation in Parliamentary elections.

The government took no action on either side, but left the House a free hand to vote on the amendment.

Our Men in Action.

U.S. PATROLS INSPECT FOE'S DEFENSES IN FOG.

"Hell Broke Loose" on American Sector, Wounded Soldier Says.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Jan. 31, 8:50 a.m.—A dense fog which rolled in clouds over the American sector all through the night enabled both American and enemy patrols to work freely. The American patrols, unmolested, inspected the enemy wire defenses and made some other discoveries of importance. At this hour no reports of patrol encounters had come in.

Owing to the fog, aerial and artillery observation is impossible. American anti-aircraft gunners at various places are standing by their guns, as clearing weather is expected before night.

AMERICAN LINE RAIDED.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Wednesday, Jan. 30.—An American position on a certain section of the French front was raided during a heavy fog shortly after daylight this morning. The attack was preceded by a violent artillery barrage.

Two Americans were killed and four wounded. One soldier is missing and is believed to have been captured by the enemy.

Casualties have been occurring almost daily for several days in this sector. It is now permitted to disclose that all the recent casualties given out from Washington occurred in this sector. The deaths were caused by shell fire, mostly shrapnel.

SPORADIC OUTBURSTS.

Last night was fairly quiet throughout the American sector. The usual number of shells came over, doing no damage and there were the customary sporadic outbursts of machine-gun fire from both sides at points where the opposing lines are nearest.

At daybreak this morning the heavy fog which had been enveloping the whole position and the country for miles around for several days became still thicker, blotting out all except the nearest enemy positions. At 7 o'clock three muffled reports sounded through the fog. There were three whistles, followed quickly by three shell bursts. The projectiles exploded on three sides of an American listening post just outside the wire, within forty-five feet of an enemy listening post.

"HELL BROKE LOOSE."

"Then hell broke loose," said one of the men there. For fifteen minutes the enemy broke hundreds of high explosive 77's around the post and the surrounding ground, cutting off the men there. Two of them were killed in the first few minutes.

Another man who was at the post told the correspondent later, as he was lying on a cot in a field hospital, that he saw four Germans approaching out of the fog as the barrage lifted. He brought his automatic rifle into play and saw two of the Germans fall. He kept on firing until shell splinters hit him in the head and arm. "The last I remember in the time before I reached the hospital," said another wounded man, "is seeing something moving through the fog. I determined to get some Germans and put my rifle to my shoulder, but never pulled the trigger. There was a deafening explosion behind me. Frozen earth, ice, stones and shell splinters came my way."

GROUND PLOUGHED.

Inspecting of the scene of the raid showed that the ground was ploughed up by the explosion of shells.

SNIPER'S BULLET.

In the recent fighting one of the men wounded was hit by a sniper's bullet. He fell in a trench filled with water and almost drowned before he was rescued by his captain. Several of the wounded had been listed as accidental woundings. These were mostly wounds in the hands.

It is certain that the enemy casualties from the American cannon and machine-gun fire have been as great or greater than ours.

The casualties given out in Washington recently occurred over a certain recent period. The dead were buried within the sound and range of the guns. One man was blown to pieces by a shell in a regimental headquarters town as he was following his colonel into a dugout.

Three men were killed by one shell which fell in a trench and another died of wounds in a hospital. Quite a few of the men sent to hospitals were wounded in the upper part of the body or on the head from shrapnel.

For military reasons it has been inadvisable to send earlier or other details.

NO REPORT FROM PERSHING.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—In the absence of any report from Gen. Pershing the War Department tonight was unable to throw any light upon the German raid yesterday upon the trenches held by American forces.

It would not be improper, Secretary Baker said, to deduce from the casualty list the fact that American troops were in possession of a trench sector and had been "in military contact with the enemy." He emphasized the fact, however, that it would be most improper to draw the conclusion that their present location in the Allied lines is permanent, although admitting that any announcement of Pershing having taken over a portion of the line would come from the American expeditionary headquarters.

The reference to "California drafted men" in the dispatches from France is explained by the fact that large quotas of these troops from every State have been included in both regular army and National Guard divisions.

Wildfire.

GERMAN RISING SPREADS TO SHIPYARD LABORERS.

Attempt at Military Control Ineffective, Latest Advices.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

LONDON, Jan. 31.—Notwithstanding the most severe military control, the revolt is spreading like wildfire throughout Germany, according to the latest advices from neutral countries. More than 1,000,000 workers are now reported idle. Industry is near the point of paralyzation. Collisions between strikers and soldiers have taken place in some places, while in others the troops are said to have refused to go against the workers.

Meanwhile, in Hamburg the strike has extended to include all the shipyard laborers, the Cologne Gazette reports, and the men have adopted a resolution opposing the Pan-German party and demanding immediate peace without annexations or indemnities, better labor conditions and improved food supply. The Socialist Hamburg Echo reports that a state of siege has been declared at Hamburg and its suburbs, Altona and Wandsbeck. The military commander of the district has ordered a cessation of the strike and the avoidance of future strikes, says the Cologne Gazette.

A semiofficial statement issued in Berlin declares there has been no appreciable increase in the strike since Tuesday, and adds that "there has been no disturbances anywhere in the empire."

Answer.

AMERICA TO RETALIATE FOR SPANISH EMBARGO.

Detention of Vessels Follows Hold-up of Shipments into France.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Quick retaliatory measures were forecast here tonight as the answer of the United States and the Allies to Spain's interference with the shipment of goods across her frontier into France. In fact, certain Spanish ships now in American ports ready to sail are being held up pending a clearing of the situation, although the War Trade Board in a formal statement tonight denied that vessels under the Spanish flag generally were being kept in port.

The American government is particularly concerned in the situation because of large orders placed in Spain by Gen. Pershing for supplies for the American army. It holds, too, the chief weapon to force a lifting of an embargo placed by Spain, since Spain draws heavily on the United States for foodstuffs.

BOARD STATEMENT.

The War Trade Board, which issued export licenses and licenses for bunker coal, in its statement said: "It is not correct that Spanish ships are being generally held up by mean of refusing bunkers or otherwise. . . . It is expected further clearances will be granted. Each case is dealt with on its own facts, and in a few cases bunkers licenses have been withheld as where a ship has been loaded in whole or in part with commodities as to which export licenses could not be allowed under the policy of the War Trade Board."

No comment other than this statement was to be had officially at the War Trade Board offices concerning the Spanish situation. Allied officials have been given no end of perplexity by Spain. Although not so situated geographically as to ship supplies readily into Germany, charges have been made that goods from Spanish Morocco have gone through the Swiss port of entry in France into Switzerland and thence into Germany.

WIRELESS USED.

Charges have been made that the German spy system has used wireless equipment in Spain to communicate with the Central Powers.

A considerable element in the Spanish government, it is well known, is German in its leanings, and officials in Washington express no hesitation in intimating that this element is in a large measure responsible for the present trouble. The official reason given for the blocking of Gen. Pershing's orders is said to be that the Spanish railroad system has broken down and that it is impossible to handle goods destined for France.

Through their control of bunker coal the Allies are in position to stop, not only the shipment of goods to Spain from the Allied countries, but from neutrals as well, consequently they are in a position to bring powerful pressure to bear to insure fair treatment in the Spanish markets.

Adjustment of foreign exchange rates with Spain, to remove the premium which American business men are paying now in commercial transactions with that country is another problem waiting to be solved. It will be one of the financial questions to be considered by Secretary McAdoo and Lord Reading when the new British Ambassador reaches Washington.

Treasury Department officials have been worried lately by the failure of the Spanish exchange rate to decrease, in spite of the fact that the balance of trade amounts to $150,920,705 in America's favor for the first eleven months of 1917, the latest figures available. On November 30 the peseta, ordinarily worth 19.3 cents, cost 24.28 cents in New York for transfer by cable to Spain.

In searching for a reason, it was found that the trade rate to advance to America's disadvantage, although it still remains less than the rate in European countries.

LAWS URGED TO STOP FAKE WAR CHARITIES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—The district attorney's office announced tonight that it virtually had completed its investigation of war charities and that, as a result of the information gathered, would recommend Federal and State laws to protect the public from unscrupulous solicitors.

HARDSHIPS AND COLD PLIGHT OF COLORADO.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

DENVER (Colo.) Jan. 31.—Extreme cold, light snows, delayed trains and considerable hardships for stock was the weather situation today in this part of the West. The Weather Bureau held out little hope for relief. The temperature here, 10 deg. below zero, was the coldest this winter. That at Yellowstone Park, Wyo., 32 deg. below zero, was the coldest January temperature on record there.

Trains were from four to six hours late into Denver.

Hot Work.

THUD OF FISTS TELLS OF NEW BAYONET TRAINING.

Swapping Punches Puts Soldiers in Trim for Hand-to-hand Fighting.

BY HARRY A. WILLIAMS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CAMP KEARNY, Jan. 31.—While the One Hundred Forty-fourth Field Artillery, or Grizzlies, were shooting the final round of the elimination practice in preparation for tomorrow's public barrage, the infantry was drawing its share of attention today with a number of new wrinkles.

Under direction of George Blake, boxing instructor, they have been for some time engaged in shadow work. Today they were paired off for the first time and began swapping punches, one with another. In one spot on the drill field there were twenty-five bouts in progress and the thud of a couple of innumerable punches landing in unison could be plainly heard. The men started out mildly with no feeling whatsoever of animosity, but boxed faster and faster as this man or that felt the sting of some unexpected punch.

This is part of the bayonet drill, the movements used in boxing being similar to those employed in bayonet fighting. Then it injects an element of personal combat so essential to bayonet fighting. This element of personal combat sometimes in the last stages of bayonet training sends some of them to the hospital for repairs, but they are none the worse for the experience. It is better to go to the hospital here for a couple of days than to a hospital in Germany for a month.

THE BIG BARRAGE.

Everything is set, the shells polished and the cannon oiled for tomorrow's barrage, which will be touched off promptly at 3 o'clock. The grand spectacle will last only a few minutes, and it behooves all interested not to be tardy. Ground rules will be in force and none of the spectators will be allowed in the outfield. Their place will be behind the bat, safely removed from the wicked kick of these field pieces. The Escondido road has been set aside for the use of spectators. Those desiring reserved seats must bring them along. Two hundred shrapnel shells, containing more than 50,000 bullets, will be fired.

Lieut. Al G. Waddell, One Hundred Forty-third Field Artillery, has received an interesting letter from his brother, Capt. "Pug" Waddell, from somewhere in Italy. Capt. Waddell, who is a Los Angeles boy, is completing his training at an aviation school in that country, and will soon wear the Italian insignia as well as that of the United States. He makes reference to a number of other Los Angeles men who are with him. The letter reads:

"Dear Al: By all means don't miss the trip across. It is great. We are planning a reunion in Paris later. Paris is quite a place to hold such a party. While it has no Spring or Market street there are a few others that are wonders. I like it fine in Italy and never felt better. At times, when I think how nice it would be to step into some place in Los Angeles, I feel how lonely it would be there with most of the regular fellows gone and end up by thanking all concerned that I am right here.

"Mow Mitchell is with us, and I never met a finer chap. He is the most unselfish, kind-hearted and sensible hombre I have ever known. We never gets fussed or sore and has little to say. He is a real big leaguer and while not what you would call a snappy soldier, is making more than good at this game. He is just as contented as I am. We could sure get up some football team among ourselves. Practically every Eastern university is represented here, except Dartmouth. Among them are Plank and Gilmore, both on the Syracuse team that played in Los Angeles; Church, of Yale and an all-American end; Weatherhead, formerly half-back at Harvard; Graham of Chicago, at quarter; Vidal of Wisconsin and several from Cornell, Princeton, Michigan, Illinois, Purdue, Oklahoma and Minnesota.

"Nearly every man here is a baseball player and the last bunch which arrived challenged us. They had more men to pick from and beat us 12 to 9. Maj. Ryan umpired and we forced him to admit that he did a very poor job, especially when he called me out at second after I had nearly torn a leg off sliding. This was only the second baseball game ever played in Italy, and the natives enjoyed it greatly.

"While in Paris Mow and I were together most of the time. Eddie Rickenbacher is in the aviation headquarters there, but he was out with Gen. Pershing and I did not get to see him. George Hill and Bill Royle are both at a flying school in France.

"The Italians are great people and treat us royally. Ed Waterman is here and making good, while Bill Cheney has passed his tests. This is a happy-go-lucky bunch, mainly ex-athletes and should make 'Fritz' darned sick before long. Mow and I passed Christmas in Sicily and had a good feed.

"For some reason or other I don't count much on getting home and the strangest part about it is that I don't seem to give a damn. Don't think that I am a pessimist or figure on getting the 'blighty,' but you know the odds and so do I. At that, we figure to beat the game even at those odds. You might liken the case a little to that of Bob Burman. He knew that he was flirting with death, but it didn't make any difference, and I think he enjoyed his last night. We are all living for the 'big moment' and that is worth the living of a hundred humdrum lives even if we do get ours. However, he was only gambling his life for a little money and my stakes are far greater—the welfare of my country and of humanity.

ALL IN THE GAME.

"I am puting everything I have into this game, and will play at top speed to the last whistle. Whatever happens they won't be able to say that I sidestepped. If a Boche gets me it will come quick, so why worry. If I can only get one first I will feel that I have done my bit. Give my regards to Johnny Powers, Tom Darmody and the rest of the bunch."

LOS ANGELES HARBOR SURVEY IS PLANNED.

IMPROVEMENTS PROVIDED IN PRESENT RIVERS AND HARBORS BILL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Jan. 31.—Los Angeles Harbor is being cared for in the rivers and harbors bill. Today the committee agreed to go further than Los Angeles, asked and granted a general survey of the harbor. This will provide the data for thirty-five foot channels and all other necessary improvements anywhere in the Greater Los Angeles Harbor. A survey of the west basin ordered last year it is hoped will be made to the Committee in time for reporting in the present bill of an appropriation to do all the work there and make the channel deep enough for the largest ships.

These things have been agreed on for the harbor:

First, a general survey of the entire harbor.

Second, $100,000 appropriation for the widening of the harbor.

Third, immediate carrying on of the slit diverting project and its early completion.

Only the plan for a connecting channel between Long Beach and Los Angeles harbor remain unsettled and it is in a shape that makes it most probable that the Committee will appropriate $120,000 to complete this needed work. A hearing will be held next Feburary 5th when representatives of Long Beach, Los Angeles and the shipping board will all speak in favor of the channel being completed at once.

Clarence Matson of the Los Angeles Harbor Board is here chiefly to be sure that the west coast will be plentifully supplied with ships after the close of the war, thus insuring the full development of Southern California and the complete benefit of the Panama canal which was interrupted by the war. He has arranged for interviews with all of the shipping board officials and his reception has been very encouraging to his purpose.

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Every unmarried person whose net income during 1917 exceeded $1400, and every married person whose net income exceeded $2000 during the same period must make an accounting to the government through internal revenue collectors, by the designated date, Mr. Wardell said tonight.

The collector said he had been notified by Commissioner of Internal Revenue Daniel C. Roper in Washington that the government would deal with all justice and consideration with income tax payers, evasion of the law would not be tolerated and that 100 expert accountants would be sent throughout this district immediaately after March 1 to check up all returns.

"What the Federal government really urges the people to do, Mr. Wardell said, "is to make payment of their tax at the same time they make their return."

ALLEGED CONFESSION EXPOSES MANY SPIES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHARLOTTE (N. C.) Jan. 31.—Agents of the Department of Justice have taken to Chicago a prisoner said to be one of the most-wanted of men by the secret service. He is said to have made an important confession. A naturalized American of German birth, the man was arrested in a southern military training camp more than three weeks ago and has been in the County Jail here. He was drafted into the National Army from a western State.

His confession and information given to the government agents, it is said, will cause the arrest of the most dangerous German agents in the Northwest.

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There is a difference as well as a distinction between quantity-quality newspaper circulation and partial-waste circulation. The quantity-quality kind governs the producing power of a newspaper.

Merchants and all other advertisers in Los Angeles repeatedly have proved the foregoing assertions by regularly inserting the biggest volume of paid advertising, as well as the greatest number of separate advertisements, in The Times.

Good advertising in a genuine producing advertising medium, one that goes directly into the homes and the shops and marts of commerce, always is profitable to the advertiser.

Striking evidence of The Times' advertising prestige is offered by the following comparative figures:

Sunday, January 27, 1918.

The Times printed	9,846 inches of advertising	
Second morning newspaper	6,620	" " "
Third morning newspaper	6,163	" " "

During the month of January, 1918, up to and including the 27th inst.,

The Times printed	69,591 inches of advertising	
Second morning newspaper	51,237	" " "
Third morning newspaper	35,439	" " "

The above figures show, without the use of a spotlight, that The Times printed during the period mentioned 18,354 inches more than the second morning newspaper and 34,152 inches more than the third morning newspaper.

The producing power of The Times' quality-quantity circulation surpasses partial-waste quantity circulation, and unimpeachable figures prove its superiority. Notice the average paid circulation of The Times for December, 1917, as compared with December, 1916, which was as follows:

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Col. Deeds stated that the Signal Corps was disbursing about $2,000,000 daily, but that the organization had been so perfected that no invoice remained in the offices more than twenty-four hours.

STONE DENIES BEING URGED NOT TO SPEAK.

SAYS REPORTS WERE INTENDED TO BREAK FORCE OF CHARGE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

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Stone denied categorically that any Democratic leaders or Postmaster-General Burleson, as published, had conferred with him on the subject at all.

Dispatches sent out to the newspapers of the country on that day saying Democrats were advising Mr. Stone not to deliver the speech were based on statements several Democratic leaders of the Capitol made to newspaper correspondents, in which they unreservedly declared they were apprehensive of the effect of the speech and were advising the Missouri Senator not to deliver it.

EPISCOPAL COLLEGE WORK IS EXTENDED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Plans for placing a number of trained men in university communities to investigate methods of work, worship and education for Episcopal students were completed at the closing session here today of the general board of religious education of the Protestant Episcopal church.

The collegiate department was empowered to proceed with a campaign to equip workers at the various State universities.

Scholarships of a new kind also were arranged for upper classmen of proved ability and leadership who are being trained for church work.

FATHER AND SON ENLIST TOGETHER.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

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A mother and four daughters will remain in San Francisco while the men of their family are in the military service of the country.

AMERICAN RED CROSS INSTALLED AT ROME.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ROME, Jan. 31.—The American Red Cross has been installed in a villa which the Italian government has turned over for its use. It has thirty rooms and a garden and is situated in the best quarter of the city.

Appropriations.

WAR FINANCE MOVES BEGUN.

McAdoo Discusses Needs with Leaders in Congress.

Half Billion Corporation is Urged by Secretary.

Increased Taxes Certain in 1919, Says Senator.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Steps toward vast financial operations for the war were planned today at conferences between Secretary McAdoo and leaders in Congress.

Next Monday, it was agreed, the administration bill to create a war finance corporation with $500,000,000 capital and authority to issue $4,000,000,000 in short-term notes to finance private industrial operations will be introduced simultaneously in the Senate and House.

For the government's own finances, Senator Simmons, chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, announced after conferring with Secretary McAdoo that work probably would begin about March 15 or April 1 on war tax legislation, first to perfect the present law, and second, to provide, both by additional bonds and increased taxes, for the government's needs in the fiscal year of 1919.

M'ADOO ADVISES.

Secretary McAdoo went to the Capitol to discuss many phases of the war financial situation, meeting Democratic Leader Martin of the Senate, Senator Simmons and Chairman Owen of the Senate Banking and Currency Committee.

The Secretary advised Senator Simmons that it would be impossible before March or April to present any reliable data regarding future Federal needs, largely because it will not be known before then how much of the war appropriations Congress has authorized will be expended.

"The revenue legislation undoubtedly will be brought out during the present session of Congress," Mr. Simmons said tonight. "It probably will deal with three principal subjects—the amount of bonds, increased taxes and perfection of some features of the present war tax law."

1918 NOT AFFECTED.

Senator Simmons said he did not believe the legislation would affect bond or tax levies for the year of 1918, but only for 1919.

"There is no question, from the present outlook," said Mr. Simmons, "that taxes for 1919 will be increased. Not enormously, but probably by increasing levies of the present war tax bill, with additional, possibly, of some new and comparatively minor item."

Action on the revenue legislation during the present session of Congress is regarded as essential because of the difficulty of getting it through the next session, which expires by limitation in March. Senator Simmons suggested, too, that action this year on taxation legislation for 1919 would give business a chance to foresee conditions and adjust itself to them.

HONEYMOON IN SOUTHLAND.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 30.—Samuel Platt, former United States Attorney for Nevada, was married here today to Mrs. Helen Marks Faith, daughter of Joseph Marks, a prominent merchant of New York City. The couple left tonight for Southern California.

Culminating Crisis.

(Continued from First Page.)

supplying them we have made our supreme effort and sacrifice.

"In the field of agriculture we have agencies and instrumentalities, fortunately, such as no other country in the world can show. The Department of Agriculture is undoubtedly the greatest practical and scientific agricultural organization in the world. . . . The banking legislation of the last two or three years has given the farmers access to the great lendable capital of the country, and it has become the duty both of the men in charge of the Federal reserve banking system and of the farm loan banking system to see to it that the farmers obtain the credit, both short term and long term, to which they are entitled not only, but which it is imperatively necessary should be extended to them if the present tasks of the country are to be adequately performed.

FERTILIZATION.

"Both by direct purchase of nitrates and by the establishment of plants to produce nitrates, the government is doing its utmost to assist in the problem of fertilization. The Department of Agriculture and other agencies are actively assisting the farmers to locate, safeguard and secure at cost an adequate supply of sound seed. The department has $2,000,000 available for this purpose now, and has asked Congress for $6,000,000 more.

"The labor problem is one of great difficulty, and some of the best agencies of the nation are addressing themselves to the task of solving it, so far as it is possible to solve it. Farmers have not been exempted from the draft. I know that they would not wish to be, I take it for granted they would not wish to be put in a class by themselves in this respect. But the attention of the War Department has been very seriously centered upon the task of interfering with the labor of the farms as little as possible, and under the new draft regulations I believe that the farmers of the country will find that their supply of labor is very much less seriously drawn upon than it was under the first and initial draft, made before we had had our present full experience in these perplexing matters. The supply of labor in all industries is a matter we must look to and are looking to with diligent care.

RESPONSE OF FARMERS.

"And let me say that the stimulation of the agencies I have enumerated has been responded to by the farmers in splendid fashion. I dare say that you are aware that the farmers of this country are as efficient as any other farmers in the world. They do not produce more per acre than the farmers in Europe. It is not necessary that they should do so. It would perhaps be bad economy for them to attempt it. But they do produce by two or three or four times more per man, per unit of labor and capital, than the farmers of any European country. They are more alert and use more labor-saving devices than any other farmers in the world. And their response to the demands of the present emergency has been in every way remarkable. Last spring their planting exceeded by 12,000,000 acres the largest planting of any previous year, and the yields from the crops were record-breaking yields. In the fall of 1917 a wheat acreage of 42,176,000 was planted, which was one million larger than for any preceding year, 2,000,000 greater than the next largest, and 7,000,000 greater than the preceding five-year average.

MUST BE EXPECTED.

"But I ought to say to you that it is not only necessary that these achievements should be repeated but that they should be exceeded. I know what this advice involves. It involves not only labor, but sacrifice, the painstaking application of every bit of scientific knowledge and every tested practice that is available. It means the utmost economy, even to the point where the pinch comes. It means the kind of concentration and self-sacrifice which is involved in the field of battle itself, where the object always looms greater than the individual, and yet the government will help, and help in every way that it is possible. The impression which prevails in some quarters that while the government has sought to fix the prices of foodstuffs, it has not sought to fix other prices which determine the expenses of the farmer, is a mistake one. As a matter of fact, the government has actively and successfully regulated the prices of many fundamental materials underlying all the industries of the country and has regulated them not only for the purchases of the government, but also for the purchases of the general public, and I have every reason to believe that the Congress will extend the powers of the government in this important and even essential matter, so that the tendency to profiteering which is showing itself in too many quarters may be effectively checked.

PROTECT FARMERS.

"In fixing the prices of foodstuffs the government has sincerely tried to keep the interests of the farmer as much in mind as the interests of the communities which are to be served, but it is serving mankind as well as the farmer, and everything in these times of war takes on the rigid aspect of duty.

"I will not appeal to you to continue and renew and increase our efforts. I do not believe that it is necessary to do so. I believe that you will do it without any word or appeal from me, because you understand as well as I do the needs and opportunities of this great hour when the fortunes of mankind everywhere seem about to be determined and when America has the greatest opportunity she has ever had to make good her own freedom, and in making it good to lend a helping hand to men struggling for their freedom everywhere.

"You remember that it was farmers from whom came the first shots at Lexington, that set aflame the revolution that made America free. I hope and believe that the farmers of America will willingly and conspicuously stand by to win this war, also.

"The toil, the intelligence, the energy, the foresight, the self-sacrifice and devotion of the farmers of America will, I believe, bring to a triumphant conclusion this great last war for the emancipation of men from the control of arbitrary government and the selfishness of class legislation and control, and then when the end has come, we may look each other in the face and be glad that we are Americans and have had the privilege to play such a part."

FAMOUS OLD FRIGATE MENACED BY FLAMES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BOSTON, Jan. 31.—The frigate Constitution, known as Old Ironsides, was endangered by a fire on a motorboat at the navy yard today. A naval tug was run alongside the frigate to shield her from the flames and if necessary to pull her into the stream.

The blaze was due to the backfiring of the motorboat engine. The damage was trifling.

Threats.

PETROGRAD ANARCHISTS AGAIN MENACE FRANCIS.

Reds Insist on the Release of Goldman Berkman and Mooney.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PETROGRAD, Wednesday, Jan. 30.—The Ministry of Foreign Affairs today transmitted to David R. Francis, the American Ambassador, a letter addressed to Leon Trotzky, the Bolshevik Foreign Minister, by the Petrograd group of anarchists, insisting that Trotzky bring pressure to bear on the American Embassy for the release of Alexander Berkman, Emma Goldman and Thomas J. Mooney.

The ministry also inclosed a resolution adopted by the anarchists threatening demonstrations against the embassy.

This is the third threat by anarchists that Ambassador Francis has received within a month.

Emma Goldman and Berkman are under sentence to serve terms of imprisonment for conspiracy to defeat the conscription law in the United States. Mooney was convicted of murder in connection with the San Francisco bomb outrages.

LANSING INSTRUCTS FRANCIS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Secretary Lansing has instructed Ambassador Francis at Petrograd to report to the State Department any developments in connection with the threats made against him by anarchists because of the conviction of Emma Goldman and Alexander Berkman, but it has been left in the Ambassador to follow any course he may consider advisable. The department has assumed that he has reported the incident to the Bolshevik element and may have asked for protection.

Officials of the department were not inclined today to regard the Ambassador's situation as serious, believing it probable that the government authorities would take such measures as necessary to protect him.

"Mother of Russian Cities."

BESIEGED KIEV YIELDS TO BOLSHEVIKI ARMIES.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Jan. 31.—Kiev, which for some time past has been invested by the Bolshevik troops, who are engaged against the Ukrainians, has surrendered according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Petrograd.

Kiev, capital of the government of Kiev, lies on the right bank of the Dnieper. It is called "the mother of Russian cities," and in 1902 had about 250,000 inhabitants. Recent dispatches said that many of the Russian nobility, seeking safety from the Bolsheviki, had taken up their residence in Kiev.

Another Liberator.

NEW REVOLT REPORTED UNDER WAY IN MEXICO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

EL PASO (Tex.) Jan. 31.—Rumors of a new movement against the Mexican government in the State of Sonora reached here tonight. According to semi-official reports, Jose Obregon, a brother of Gen. Alvaro Obregon, former Minister of War, is leader of the new movement, and he is said to command a number of troops, including a large number of the revolting Yaqui Indians.

A rumor that he held Hermosillo was received here tonight, but could not be verified. The suppression of this revolt was said to be the real reason for sending 1000 Federal troops to Sonora from Chihuahua.

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WHITTIER WILL MEET REDLANDS QUINTETTE.

Coach Van Cleave's Whittier five will travel to Redlands tonight to indulge in their second game of the college conference basketball season. No new faces will be seen in the Whittier line-up, as their team is fast and well balanced. Van Cleave will take eight players with him on the trip. They are Hunt, Fowler, Fuller and Kimber, forwards; Hunnicutt will be at center as usual; Reese, Gifford and Evans will make up the trio to keep Redlands' men from shooting the pelota through the hoop.

LIEUTENANTS' LEAGUE.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

CAMP KEARNY, Jan. 31.—A lieutenants' baseball league is being organized in the One Hundred Forty-third Field Artillery. It is planned for the second lieutenants to play the first lieutenants. Guy C. Harris, physical director of Y.M.C.A. No. 1 is handling the organization.

MORE CASABA SPORT.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

CAMP KEARNY, Jan. 31.—Plans for a new organization of basketball teams among the batteries of the One Hundred Forty-third and One Hundred Forty-fourth artilleries, are being put in shape.

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M'CREDIE WANTS TO WAGER WITH BAUM.

DECLARES HIS LEAGUE WILL KEEP NAME OF INTERNATIONAL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Jan. 31.—Upon being told that President Baum of the Pacific Coast League was willing to lay a little wager that the newly-named Pacific Coast International League would be turned down by the National Commission or the National Board of Arbitration, Judge McCredie disclosed a little information today which well may be heard with regret by Baum. In the first place, Judge McCredie claims that neither of the governing bodies of baseball has anything to say on the question and that it is already settled.

He maintains that there is nothing in the rules which makes it necessary for the Pacific Coast International to apply to anyone in order to gain permission to call the league anything the owners please, as long as there is no real duplication.

The judge is not a man inclined to wagers, or he would be willing to make a little bet with Al Baum that when the season opens the Portland, Seattle and other clubs in the circuit will be playing under the name of the Pacific Coast International League, irrespective of what the California magnates think about it.

There is another point in which the Portland baseball mogul gave out a little information. At the time of the annual meeting at Seattle it was given out that the circuit would seek a class A rating at once and that a request for it had already been made. This is entirely without foundation, according to his testimony. He says it has not been settled yet and that any change in the rating might not be asked for until after the war has been settled.

There are a great many people who ought to know who claim that the former Coast League would have been better off financially had it remained a class A organization rather than go into the A.A. class. The increased rating looks fine. It is admitted that it merely increased salaries and other running expenses without raising the standard of play to any appreciable extent. It is likely that this would be the same experience in the Pacific International. Undoubtedly it would be better to have a lesser rating and get through the season intact than to have a class A league and struggle along with every chance of having to close up before the end of the schedule is reached.

If it comes to a show-down McCredie is ready to show Baum and the other Coast magnates other legal phases of the questions involved, but he doesn't believe it will be necessary.

NAVY IS ASKED TO ENTER TRACK TEAM.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 31.—The navy has been asked to put in a track team for the contemplated field meet of the San Diego High School. The meet is to be held about February 23, according to present plans. A baseball game will probably precede the track events. It is probable that the navy will enter teams for the relay, the pushball battle and for the sprints.

Thoroughbreds Ready.

PIPAL WILL GIVE HIS BEST TO FLYING CORPS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CORVALLIS (Or.) Jan. 31.—The attractions of service in the Aviation Corps will, from all present appearances, win a large number of Coach Pipal's Oregon Aggie football men at present subject to the draft call into its service within the next few days.

At the request of President Kerr, a conference of the football men was held here today to determine how many of the especially well qualified players can be provided for the flying division.

W. A. Jansen, executive secretary of the college, explained the purpose of the meeting, and read a letter just received by President Kerr from Maj. E. B. Stewer of the Signal Corps. It appears that there exists a decided demand for aviation among football men throughout the entire country, and that the service has found them to make the best material for the work to be done.

Only a few of the very best of the men are desired, however, and there is no desire on the part of the War Department to disrupt the undergraduate material for football teams. The special qualities developed in a well-trained football player, courage, quickness of thought, and action and endurance, are regarded by the War Department as being those qualities most needed in ideal flyers.

Three letters of recommendation and a medical certificate of good physical condition are required from all applicants. Letters from the coach, the president of the college and from a dean of the school, or some other qualified person, will be deemed satisfactory, while Dr. Wendell Phillips, college physician, has offered to give the men their physical examination free of charge.

Upon completion of the entrance tests the men will be commissioned as second lieutenants.

How many of the Aggie players will enter is not as yet definitely known. Lee Bissett, Hubbard "Butts" Reardon and Carl Lodell have already announced their intention of becoming flyers and will leave to enter the corps within a few days. Several others are planning on doing so and, while not all of the men are going in, there will, in all probability, be enough former Aggie gridiron men in the aero corps to make a fairly representative Aggie football team among themselves.

Hopeful.

STANFORD AND BERKELEY TO HOLD A CONFERENCE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Jan. 31.—The athletic board of control of Stanford University has drawn up a definite proposal which it will submit to representatives of the University of California at a meeting to be held in San Francisco Saturday, which, if adopted, will mean the resumption of football contests between the two colleges, it was announced here tonight.

Under the proposal drawn up by Stanford's representatives, it was said, both styles of football, Rugby and American, would be played, Rugby in the spring of the year, and American in the fall.

Embodied in the proposal, it was said, is an offer to abolish highly-paid coaches who would be substituted by smaller salaried athletic instructors, and a suggestion that freshmen be barred by varsity teams by a "gentlemen's agreement."

The rupture between Stanford and the University of California was caused by the latter institution's insistence that freshmen be not played in varsity contests.

Preliminary discussion of the proposal, it was announced, would take place in San Francisco, Saturday, between three representatives from each university.

Football contests between the two colleges were broken off in 1914. The annual gridiron battle between Stanford and the University of California came to be known as "the big game." When this "big game," and the smaller games were discontinued, it was a hard blow to thousands of students, former students and admirers of the two colleges.

The break was followed at intervals by attempts to patch it up. These failed, despite the participation in one conference of Hiram W. Johnson, now United States Senator and at that time Governor of California.

Whether the Rugby or American game should be played and the paying of large salaries to coaches also figured in the dispute. When the two matters were under discussion at that time President Ray Lyman Wilbur of Stanford University, said that Stanford could not give up Rugby as long as California maintained what he termed its expensive coaching system.

In commenting on what he believed the Rugby code possessed over the American, President Wilbur said Rugby had proved itself not only as a game, but as a spectacle.

Rugby superseded the American game in 1905 by an agreement between the two colleges, which lasted until 1915. The University of California then returned to the older game, playing other colleges, particularly in the Pacific Northwest.

LESLIE MANN INSISTS ON FIGHTING HUNS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CAMP LOGAN (Houston, Tex.) Jan. 31.—Leslie Mann, star fielder of the Cubs, will in all probability be out of the line-up this year. To use his own expression: "Army life's the life for me." He intends to go to France with the Thirty-third Division.

"I want to be in the greatest game of all—fighting the Boche," said Mann today. "Baseball is all right, but it seems sort of out of date at the present time."

HILLMEN WIN CASABA FAME.

By handing a decisive defeat to Lincoln High yesterday afternoon, the Hollywood High quintette finished the league season with a percentage of 1000, this being the third successive year that the Foothillers have walked off with the city pennant. At the left, from top to bottom we have Boeck (who played his last game yesterday,) Captain Wyahn and Kincaid. Center, left to right, Gaines, Coach Evans and Cox. Right, Grady, Randolph and Sentous.

BALBOA PARK BOYS ARE FAST BOXERS.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

NAVAL TRAINING STATION, BALBOA PARK, Jan. 31.—Some lively bouts put pep in the weekly athletic night here this week. In the main event Mike Golindo defeated "Doc" Hess, gaining a decision. Golindo lead most of the time and left his opponent with a darkened optic. Young Golindo and Dutch Crozier gave an exhibition bout.

In the semi-final Sailor Rice defeated Sailor Dennis, gaining a decision in four rounds. Kid Brown and Battling Williams fought to a draw. Young Hector won a decision in four rounds from Kid Julian of San Diego. Kid Silvan scored a knockout against Young Richardson in the third round.

Ensign J. S. Conover, and Frenchy Chaperon, refereed and managed the bouts.

A.A.U. BASKETBALL BATTLES TONIGHT.

Play in the A.A.U. Basketball League will continue unabated this evening, some terrific battles being on the slate. Here is a list of the encounters:

145-pound division—L.A.A.C. at Alhambra; L.A. Y.M.C.A. at Long Beach Y.M.C.A.; Poly at U.S.C.

158-pound division—Glendale at Long Beach Y.M.C.A.; Whittier at L. A. Y.M.C.A.

Unlimited division—Class A: Long Beach Y.M.C.A. at Coast Artillery; Submarine Base at L.A. Y.M.C.A.; Class B: Poly Night School at Naval Reserve; Alhambra at U.S.C.

HUNTING SEASON COMES TO CLOSE.

At sunset yesterday the hunting season passed out of existence until another year, a few belated sportsmen going out to try their luck on the last day. The season just past has been remarkably successful from the standpoint of game conditions and number of licenses sold.

NATIONAL TO CUT OUT CASH TRADES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Jan. 31.—When the National League meets here on February 12 to adopt the season's schedule the organization will pass a rule prohibiting any more cash trades. Hereafter the league proposes to make all deals between clubs, straight trades of players, with no frenzied finance features.

BOXING PROGRAMME.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CAMP KEARNY, Jan. 31.—As part of the first boxing programme at the Knights of Columbus building, Al McCoy, ex-middleweight champion, took part in an exhibition bout tonight. The event was staged under the auspices of the Utah regiment, George Thompson of San Diego also taking part.

HOLLYWOOD SQUASHES RAILSPLITTER HOPES.

THREE CLASSY CASABA BATTLES ON SLATE FOR TODAY'S PLAY.

Team—	Won.	Lost.	P.c.
Hollywood	8	0	1.000
Polytechnic	5	2	.714
Long Beach	4	2	.667
Manual Arts	4	3	.571
Whittier	4	3	.571
Pasadena	3	4	.429
Lincoln	2	6	.286
L. A. High	2	5	.250
Jefferson	0	7	.000

(N.B.: The Long Beach-Pasadena game scheduled for last week not played.)

Coach Evans's classy Hollywood High basketball quintette finished the prep schedule in a brilliant burst of glory yesterday afternoon by duckling the Lincoln High Railsplitters under a veritable cataclysm of points, the score standing 62-11 after the statisticians had completed their labors.

Too much class spelled humiliation for the Railsplitters, the Red and White machine whisking the ball up the court with a craftiness impossible to fathom. Capt. Tony Wyahn himself located the hoop twelve times, while Cox, the lanky flame-headed boy at center, shot fourteen tallies and Boeck made nine, although he played less than half of the game.

At the end of the half matters stood 26-11 and the Lincolnites came back to the fray prepared to put on a stiff rally. But wherever a Lincoln man stepped there was a raw-boned Foothiller standing over him ready to nab the ball, and the best intentions of Coach Henry's scrappers were completely frustrated. Eagan, the Lincoln forward, sifted through the iron-wall defense of the Hollywooders for seven points, proving himself the individual hero of the losers. The line-up:

Hollywood (62)		Lincoln (11)
Wyahn (24)	Forward	Regan (7)
Randolph (14)	Forward	Larson (2)
Cox (14)	Center	Barlow (2)
Kincaid (2)	Guard	Pierce
Sentous	Guard	Isenhower

Substitutions: For Hollywood, Beeck (9) for Cox, Ty Lincoln, Steves for Isenhower. Referee, F. Horning.

Peppery Game Today.

Play in the City League will be wound up with two peppery encounters this afternoon and one fracas this evening. Long Beach and Manual will settle their differences on the Toiler court, while Poly High is slated to take on Jefferson, the tail-end aggregation of the league, on the Jefferson court. At night L. A. High and Whittier will do battle on the Quaker City court.

Since, with the exception of first place, the percentages are all gummed up and running close some exciting play should be witnessed. According to the dope Manual will send the Long Beach Seasiders home on the short end of the score, Poly will wallop Jefferson and Whittier will take the number of L. A. High. According to the Jefferson Squealing Squad and their charming Chief Squealer the Jeffersonites are destined to finish the season this afternoon by walloping the headlights off of the Poly High mechanic outfit. "We just must win at least one game this year," was the official signed statement given out by Jefferson's Chief Squealer last night. The line-ups:

Long Beach		Manual Arts
Gibbs	at	Allsup
Williams	Forward	Rogers
Funk	Forward	Berter
Cassill	Guard	Lyndstrom
Fantino	Guard	Ely
Poly	at	Jefferson
Smith	Forward	Fetzer
Reiger	Forward	Jackson
Miller	Center	Bullock
Shapiro	Guard	Cuba
Wilray	Guard	Mason
L. A. High	at	Whittier
Mansey	Forward	Mixon
Molpar	Forward	Francis
Boyle	Center	Meyer
Cox	Guard	Vetter
Abrahams	Guard	Pickett

ENSIGN OWENS IS BOOSTING SOCCER.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

NAVAL TRAINING STATION, (Balboa Park) Jan. 31.—Ensign Owens, who has been named to get up interest in soccer for the navy, is sixing up a number of candidates for the eleven. When the team is organized he will be the coach and will endeavor to put out the same kind of play that all other teams representing the navy do.

TROJAN HEAVIES GOING TO ALHAMBRA.

Wild excitement will reign in the hamlet of Alhambra this evening, where two promising basketball battles are staged. The U.S.C. heavyweights are slated to mix it with Alhambra, while the Alhambra 145-pound team will take on the L.A.A.C. five of like weight. Mayor Stewart will officially open the festivities by tossing the casaba onto the floor.

CAMP TALIAFERRO ATHLETIC NIGHT.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

CAMP TALIAFERRO, SAN DIEGO, Jan. 31.—Lively bouts featured the weekly athletic night this week at the Y.M.C.A. In the boxing main event, Mike Kelly, Co. H, Twenty-first Infantry, fought to a draw with Bud Anderson. T. McDonald won the decision in a four-round event with Hen Finkle. In the curtain-raiser, Kid Runger, Co. M, and Battling Buddeth, Co. I, fought to a draw.

In the wrestling events, Ed Felbach, Machine-gun Company, was defeated by Chip Reed, Co. M. Felbach lost the first two falls. Kid Ollerton of the Naval Training Station lost two falls to Charles Anderson, Co. L. In the final of the wrestling Mat Leuthi, Co. H, and Pat McCovy, Co. H, wrestled to a draw decision.

FINAL BIG HUNT IN DUCK HAUNTS.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 31.—The last big hunt of the season was staged in the duck haunts near here today. One party, coming from Los Angeles, included Art Griggs ball player; Henry Charles, and H. G. Hotchkiss, and T. L. Turner of San Diego joined the party here. This party went to Cuyamaca.

Another party left this morning for a drive on the swimming birds at Sweetwater. It was under the leadership of Nels Dunn, a local sporting goods man.

FIELDER JONES SURE TO HANDLE BROWNS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ST. LOUIS (Mo.) Jan. 31.—Rumors that Fielder Jones is to retire as manager of the St. Louis Americans were dispelled today when word was received from him at his home in Portland, Ore., denying that he intends to resign. President Phil Ball asserts that Jones will pilot the Browns this season as usual.

RIFLEMEN BUSY.

The Beverly Hills Rifle Club and Long Beach Rifle Club are slated for a test of skill on the Beverly Hills range, Sunday morning, February 3, at 9:30 o'clock. Five matches will be held on the 200, 500 and 600-yard ranges, respectively.

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The decay of our waterways has been due almost solely to the competition of the railroads, which were better organized and more efficiently operated than the boat lines. In the first place, they have been allowed to make lower rates for water-served cities, and charge high ones for inland cities having no waterways. Parker does not believe that the railroads will any longer be able to successfully combat water traffic in this way because our commerce has grown beyond the point where the railroads can carry it all; but he recommends that investors in boat lines and terminal facilities be given some assurance that rail competition will not be uncontrolled. This can be done through the Interstate Commerce Commission. The Federal government will provide the channels, and the cities the terminals. It will then be up to private enterprise to provide the boats.

FORD TO CONSTRUCT ANTI-U-BOAT FLEET.

WILL BE CROSS BETWEEN DESTROYER AND U-BOAT CHASER.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Secretary Daniels announced today, after his appearance before the House Naval Committee, that the Navy Department has let a contract to Henry Ford for scories of a new type of anti-submarine craft developed by the navy. The vessels will be fabricated at Ford's Detroit plant and the parts shipped to seaboard and there assembled.

Secretary Daniels today told the House Naval Affairs Committee some of the details of a new anti-submarine craft the navy is developing, which he described as a cross between a destroyer and a submarine chaser. It would not be as effective as a destroyer but would be adapted for work in certain circumstances. The voluntary censorship prevents disclosure of more details.

Secretary Daniels's examination developed that one of the big fights on the naval bill in the House will be over a proposal to increase the Marine Corps. Representative Britten of Illinois wants the present 30,000 marines doubled and to provide not less than 27,000 of them in the trenches in France.

Secretary Daniels said he was opposed to any increase in the corps except so far as may be necessary to fill vacancies caused by casualties in the service.

Secretary Daniels was examined closely by both the Republican and Democratic members, whose questions indicated divided sentiment.

MEDITERRANEAN IS GRAVE FOR SHIPS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—The sinking in the Mediterranean of the Argentine steamship Ministro Irriendo, January 24, was reported in a dispatch from Paris today to the correspondent here of La Prensa of Buenos Aires.

The dispatch quoted the captain of the Irriendo as saying that the ship sank two hours after having been damaged by five explosions. No submarine was seen.

The French destroyer Bambara vainly attempted to take the ship in tow. The crew was rescued and taken to Barcelona, Spain, and a report of the circumstances of the sinking sent to the Argentine Consul at Toulon, France.

SAILED UNDER FRENCH FLAG.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BUENOS AIRES, Jan. 31. — The steamer Ministro Irriendo, reported sunk, left Buenos Aires under the French flag. The captain of the Spanish steamer Reina Victoria Eugenia, which is now in port, says he met the Ministro Irriendo in the Mediterranean Sea, sailing under the Argentine flag, and that he saluted the steamer as an Argentine vessel. The government is investigating the matter.

CAPITAL GUARD AT SACRAMENTO IS OFF.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 31.—The Sacramento police department withdrew today the guard of three men who were stationed near the office of Gov Stephens in the Capitol yesterday and last night.

No further explanation of what prompted the action has been given except the statement made by Chief of Police Conran that he desired to place the men there because of "information which he had."

WHILE AT WAR

Women Suffer at Home.

ROSEBURG (Or.)—"I suffered something terrible, had displacement so bad that I could scarcely stand on my feet, also had inflammation. My head and back ached hard and I was weak and nervous. My legs and feet ached—would bloat, and I was troubled with constipation. I had a severe pain in my side. I took Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and Pleasant Pellets and they made me well and strong. Then, during middle life I again took these medicines and got through so well—was strong and well."—Mrs. W. D. MOORE, 1346 N. Jackson st.

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AMERICA ADVANCES CREDIT TO BRITAIN.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—A new credit of $210,000,000 to be paid to Great Britain during February was announced today by the Treasury Department. The January credit of $250,000,000 was completed today with the advancement of $65,000,000. This brings total credits to all the Allies up to $4,525,900,000.

KAISER FORESEES A HAPPY ENDING.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 31.—Replying to birthday congratulations from King Ludwig of Bavaria, Emperor William expressed confidence that the German empire would emerge strong and secure from the present trial. But to that end, he said, "we need the help of all who love our severely tried people, especially the help of political leaders."

RETAIL FOOD PRICES REGAIN PER CENT. LOST

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Retail prices of food regained in December the 1 per cent. decrease which in November caused householders to hope that the time of deliverance from the high cost of living was at hand.

Of twenty-seven articles for which prices are received by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, sixteen were more costly in December than in the preceding month, three remained the same and eight dropped slightly.

Eggs showed the greatest increase, 9 per cent.; butter and hens advancing 3 per cent. each. Onions showed the greatest decrease, 14 per cent.; bread, potatoes, sugar, pork chops, flour and prunes being other foods selling at lower prices.

In the year from December, 1916, to December, 1917, prices of food as a whole advanced 24 per cent. Potatoes and onions were the only articles showing a decline.

Interpreted in dollars, the food that cost $1 in 1916, cost $1.29 in 1917. The same food could be bought for 72 cents in 1907.

EIGHT DOLLARS A DAY DEMAND OF STRIKERS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

ALAMEDA, Jan. 31.—Eighty foremen employed at the Union Iron Works are on strike, demanding a flat rate of $8 a day in place of the $7 they have been getting. The men have no union, but most of them maintain membership in the Iron Workers' Union, of which they were active members before becoming foremen. Labor leaders say the strike is nothing of which they can take cognizance, and Manager Christie of the Union Iron Works says the action of the foremen has not affected the work.

THIRD LIBERTY LOAN UNDER DISCUSSION.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Consideration was being given here today to measures for launching the coming third Liberty Loan campaign discussed at a meeting here yesterday of women representatives from six States of the Twelfth Federal Reserve Bank District.

Among those attending the conference were: Mrs. E. B. Brainerd, Los Angeles; Mrs. Sarah Evans, Portland, Or.; Mrs. W. J. Patterson, Grays Harbor, Wash.; Mrs. Teresa Graham, Boise, Idaho; Miss Alice M. Birdsall, Phoenix, Ariz., and Mrs. S. W. Belford, Reno, Nev.

HEAT RATHER RARE IN BOSTON BLIZZARD.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

BOSTON, Jan. 31.—With the mercury hovering between 10 and 12 deg. above zero, and a cold wind sweeping in from the northwest, Boston went to work today in buildings inadequately heated, because of the fuel shortage which had shut off deliveries to more than 100 places where thousands of men and women work.

TWO BURN TO DEATH IN MARTINEZ FIRE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

MARTINEZ, Jan. 31.—Two men were burned to death early today, five were injured and eighty were placed in peril of their lives when the Fairview Hotel at Fairview, three miles from here, was destroyed by fire. The dead:

John Delaney, San Francisco.

Henry Liebfarth, Oakland.

First reports were that four men and a woman had lost their lives. The loss was $20,000.

Most of those living there were employees of the Mountain Copper Company.

The fire was caused by an oil burner in the office which, according to the hotel management, was handled by some one unfamiliar with the operation of the apparatus.

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$1.85

SPECIAL LOT—Several hundred pairs of Pumps, Oxfords and Evening Slippers—these are broken lines, discontinued styles, etc., formerly priced at $3 to $4. They are wonderful bargains at $1.85.

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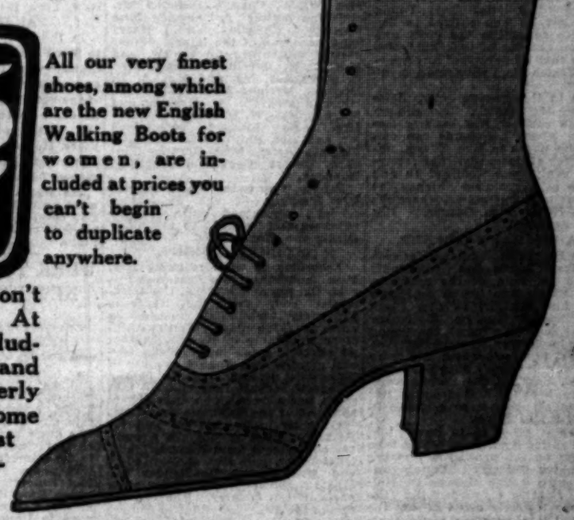
$3.85

SPECIAL LOT—Don't miss these bargains! At this price we have included Pumps, Oxfords and High Shoes that formerly sold at $4.50 to $7. Some of America's very best makers are represented in this assortment.



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Tragedy.

GIRL TO SUE FOR DAMAGES.

On Ground that Fiance Refuses to Marry Her.

Says She Lived at Ranch House for Two Weeks.

Young Woman Asks that Man be Brought to Justice.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

ONTARIO, Jan. 31.—Charging that Frank Young, age 24, son of Lewis Young, wealthy ranch owner of No. 219 East Park street, had, by securing a license to wed and by repeated promises of marriage, lured her to a house on his peach ranch to the south of the city, where, for two weeks they lived together as man and wife, only to abandon her, Miss Lucille Barragan, 19 years old and pretty, today appealed to the Ontario police and to Judge J. R. Pollock in an effort to have the man brought to justice.

WILL ASK DAMAGES.

Miss Barragan declares that she will bring suit for breach of promise, demanding heavy damages and adds that she will name Young's parents in the suit. She declares that when Young refused to marry her after their stay at his ranch, the young man's mother bought a ticket and sent her to San Francisco, telling her to find work in the northern city and that her fiance would join her soon and that they would be married. Scarcely had she arrived at her destination, she says, than she received a letter from Young saying that he was obliged to flee to Mexico to escape the draft and that "you are out of luck kid." She declares that he never got any nearer to Mexico than Riverside, however.

Alone in the strange city, Miss Barragan fortunately had enough money to pay her way back to Los Angeles, where her funds ran out. There she wrote to Mrs. Young, appealing for aid, she says, but receiving no reply, was obliged to find work to earn sufficient money to bring her back to Ontario, where she is now living with friends. Her parents are dead.

BLAMES MAN'S MOTHER.

Miss Barragan further asserts that Mrs. Young has repeatedly tried to get hold of the marriage license which was issued to Frank Young and the girl by City Clerk R. O. Brackenridge on December 24, 1917, and has urged the young woman to destroy it, asserting, she says, that it wasn't worth any more than a dog license. Miss Barragan, however, has put the license away for safe keeping and declares her intention of using it as evidence in her suit for damages.

Young is reported to have told friends yesterday that he would take a chance on the penitentiary rather than marry the girl. Young consulted with Judge George R. Holbrook relative to performing the ceremony, directly after getting the license, but they were never married.

Silver Peak Ranch now open. Table reservations. Phone Pomona 902x1.—[Advertisement.

UNDER ADVISEMENT.

Suit Affecting Property Lines of Hundreds of Citrus Ranches Pending at Ontario.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

ONTARIO, Jan. 31.—With his decision affecting the property lines of hundreds of small Ontario citrus ranches, Judge J. W. Curtis has taken under advisement the case of Will H. Mathers versus B. F. Webber, heard yesterday in the Superior Court.

The suit followed when Mr. Webber set up a fence on what he declared to be the boundary line between his ranch and that of Mr. Mathers, the latter objecting.

The original property lines of the city were laid out before Vine and Sultana avenues were built. At that time a new map was recorded at the county seat slightly reducing the size of all lots between the two streets, but the original property stakes were never changed and all property transferred since has been sold according to the lines as set forth in the original map, resulting in the lots adjoining the two streets bearing the entire loss occasioned by their being built. Mathers claims that since the property was never re-surveyed after the recording of the later map the original lines must stand. Should Webber win, hundreds of property lines will have to be changed.

SUGAR-BEET MEN TO AID COMMISSION.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SANTA ANA, Jan. 31.—A meeting of the directors of the Associated Beet Growers of California has been called to meet Saturday morning at the office of Attorney Clyde Bishop in Santa Ana. This meeting is for the purpose of taking whatever steps that can be taken at that time in preparing to furnish information to the special commission appointed yesterday by the Food Administration to make a report upon the cost of raising beets. Bishop stated that he will not advise growers to proceed with beet planting until after the commission makes its investigation and reaches a conclusion.

LICENSED TO WED AT SANTA ANA.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SANTA ANA, Jan. 31.—Claud Bigwood, 22, Oxnard, and Dorothy E. Holyoke, 19, Los Angeles; Leonard R. Shirley, 21, and Gladys R. Latham, 21, both Los Angeles; Naversse Jerome Guesnier, 25, and Gertrude Katherine Heart, 20, both Los Angeles; James Collins Freeman, 21, and Christina Lee Anderson, 15, both of Los Angeles; Albert Dickman, 27, and Elizabeth B. Robb, 23, both of Los Angeles; Henry F. Schull, 29, and Charlotte Thompson, 29, both of San Diego; James Bean, 21, and Myrtle Odair, 27, both of Los Angeles; Samuel D. Pate, 21, and Ethel Powers, 19, both of Los Angeles.

HOTEL GREEN IS FORMALLY OPENED.

DINNER-DANSANT MARKS ONE OF SEASON'S BRILLIANT SOCIAL EVENTS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PASADENA, Feb. 1.—Hotel Green was formally opened last night, the occasion being celebrated with an elaborate dinner-dansant, at which 400 persons were present. In addition to the dinner and dance a rare musical programme was presented, in which artists of the highest talent took part.

The gathering was one of the most brilliant of the season and was a pronounced success from every standpoint. Among those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. Leo G. MacLaughlin, who entertained Mr. and Mrs. George J. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Coulston, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Brown, Fred Nash, Mrs. E. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Harper, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Martin. Dinner guests of Mrs. Artemus Lamb were Mrs. M. J. Gates, Mrs. J. S. Deveir, Mrs. J. B. Stubbs, Mrs. A. L. Warner, Mrs. J. S. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Greenwood, Miss Nettie Greenwood and Miss Grace Greenwood.

Another group was made up of Mr. and Mrs. J. Herbert Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence E. Hovey, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. Walter T. Hall. Mr. and Mrs. E. A. O'Neil entertained Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Rose, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Roadway and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mack. Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Husser had at their table Mr. and Mrs. A. Stephen Vavra, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Volk and Mrs. N. W. Williams. Dr. and Mrs. Harry F. Markolf entertained Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Lockwood, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leddy and Dr. and Mrs. Frank A. Giguette.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Braley, Dr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Sears made up another group. Guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Christie included Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Christie, Miss Dorothy Christie and Harry Schoppe. One of the largest dinner groups was made up of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Herlihy, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Tanner, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hosking, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Prisk, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hosking and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Prisk. Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Linnard entertained Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Schwartz, Miss Virginia Reis, Miss Dorothy Linnard, Robert Cook and Courtland Hancock.

Ettore Campana, baritone, and Miss Kearney of the Denishawn school entertained with special numbers and added to the affair during the dinner hour.

STUDENTS COMING.

According to word reaching Rev. F. M. Lehman of the Pentecost Pilgrim Church at Pasadena, the secessionist body from the Nazarene University, a similar secessionist move is taking place over the country and notably in Kansas, as that which took place in Pasadena several months ago, when a number of theological students and the faculty withdrew because they claimed that there was a dearth of spirituality to be found at the Nazarene University.

On their way here to join the Pasadena Bible school are a number of students from Nampa, Idaho, led by Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Hodgin and Mrs. George Goodlander and others are expected from other parts of the country. The convention of the Pentecost Pilgrim Church opens Sunday at Pasadena and will be marked by a number of evangelistic services under the leadership of Rev. Seth C. Rees, Dr. John Mathews and other workers. The Bible school opens next Monday with an enrollment of 145 students.

POSTOFFICE CHANGE.

The South Pasadena postoffice, formerly under the jurisdiction of the Los Angeles postoffice, was today formally transferred to Pasadena and the two offices consolidated. W. S. Laurie, who had charge of Station A, will go to Pasadena, as will Archie Elliott. The change will give South Pasadena increased night service in addition to three auto deliveries. The change was made because of the similarity in streets in South Pasadena and Pasadena and will eliminate much of the confusion heretofore experienced.

Hotel Vista del Arroyo, Pasadena.—[Advertisement.

REDLANDS MEN ARE NOW IN FRANCE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDLANDS, Jan. 31.—Two well known Redlands boys have just arrived in France according to brief messages received from them and one is Clyde Vineyard, for several years a star first baseman for the University baseball team and an all around athlete. Vineyard enlisted several weeks ago in the camouflage department of the army as he had been working for some months in the properties department of one of the motion picture companies. He was rushed East and sent to France at once with a company which will do pioneer work in this department for the American Army.

Dr. Jay O. Burnett, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Burnett, and a gradute of the high school here, has enlisted in the aviation department.

Armin Herold, son of Mrs. A. Herold, and a lieutenant in the aviation corps, has just arrived in France and begun training on the fields there.

APPLE SHOW POSTERS MADE BY STUDENTS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

YUCAIPA, Jan. 31.—The committee in charge of the posters for the Yucaipa Apple Show this year has chosen about twenty of the posters made by the art students of the schools of Redlands and one of these will be made the official poster. Miss Hester Leaverton of Redlands made the poster that was best liked by the committee. Miss Beryl Bergstrume's came next in the list and Stanley Ferguson's next.

FILES DAMAGE SUIT.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

TULARE, Jan. 31.—E. M. Bergman, salesman for a San Francisco jewelry house, has filed suit in the Superior Court against M. L. Fenwick and C. C. Whitney, who are engaged in the garage business here, for collection of damages in the sum of $25,000.

Bergman alleges in his complaint that the defendants named caused his arrest on charges of having issued a worthless check, that he lost a valuable position thereby, and that he has been damaged in reputation in the sum named.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR NOTED EDITOR.

DIED SUDDENLY WHILE OUT FOR A MORNING STROLL. RECENTLY RETIRED.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA MONICA, Jan. 31.—Funeral services for Auchmuty Richardson of No. 2803 Highland avenue, former Times editorial writer, Pacific Coast manager for the Associated Press and editor and proprietor of the Mining Review of Los Angeles, will be held tomorrow morning from the Ocean Park Episcopal Church, the Rev. C. W. Hollister, the rector, officiating. Interment will be in Hollywood Cemetery. Mr. Richardson died suddenly yesterday, succumbing to a heart attack as he was taking a stroll after breakfast in Venice. He had been in feeble health for some time, and had retired from active business five years ago, when he sold the Mining Review.

EVENTFUL CAREER.

Mr. Richardson had a long and eventful career, his adventures beginning when he went to Europe to study after the Franco-Prussian War that lost Alsace-Lorraine to France. He arrived a few days before the outbreak of the Commune, the Socialist revolution that followed, and was in Paris all through the eventful days of insurrection that followed the retirement of the German troops. From March 19 to May 27, of 1871, he was virtually a prisoner of the Commune forces, who looked upon him with suspicion, but he improved the interval of enforced idleness to study French. He subsequently wrote extensively for the Century and other American magazines, was the editor of an official organ of the French government railways, and later went to Switzerland and lived for ten years. He subsequently came to the United States as the representative of a French newspaper and was for some time in New York City.

FAILING HEALTH.

In the early eighties he was sent to San Francisco as the Pacific Coast manager for the Associated Press, and after that was managing editor of the San Francisco Call. About 1900 he came to the Times as an editorial writer, remaining about three years. He then purchased the Mining Review, which he disposed of because of failing health.

He was born in Galt, Can., and went abroad to complete his education before he was 21. He had been a resident of Santa Monica for thirteen years.

WORK TO BEGIN ON NEW PAVED HIGHWAY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BRAWLEY, Jan. 31.—Work on seven miles of the Salton Sea highway between this city and the coast will be commenced by the State Highway Commission within two weeks, according to word reaching this city from Sacramento today. The State Highway Commission voted to include the seven-mile stretch in its immediate highway construction plans. This stretch of eight-foot concrete highway will be between Kane Spring and the oil wells and will span the worst part of the road in Imperial county. A bridge will be built over the San Felipe jointly by the county and the State. Immense gravel beds have been found near the San Felipe by the highway engineers. It is believed this stretch of paving and that between Indio and Fish Springs will be finished by early summer.

SKIDDING AUTO JARS HOUSEHOLD.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

UPLAND, Jan. 31.—The side of their house caved in, their dining-room table overturned, a dish cupboard hurled from the wall and themselves almost thrown from their bed, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Craig, an aged couple residing near the intersection of the State highway and San Bernardino boulevard, were awakened in a panic early this morning by what they at first supposed to be a German bomb.

Investigation developed the fact that William Williams of Cucamonga, driving a large auto roadster, had skidded on the damp pavement and slid straight through the house and into the dining-room. Williams escaped serious injury.

Silver Peak Ranch now open. Table reservations. Phone Pomona 902x1.—[Advertisement.

CHILD KILLED.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

ORANGE, Jan. 31.—A plank and pulley falling from the walls of the pre-cooling plant of the Santiago Orange Growers Association struck Jesse Woodward, ten-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Woodward, and killed him almost instantly. The boy's neck was broken. The plank that struck the boy was dislodged by his sister who was swinging on a rope.

FREIGHT-CAR ROBBER ENTERS GUILTY PLEA.

Elmer Wells, one of the quintette of alleged Southern Pacific Railroad freight car robbers, pleaded guilty to two indictments in Judge Trippet's court, yesterday and will be sentenced Monday. Judge Trippet will charge the jury in the case of Frank W. Johnson and B. F. Hess, similarly charged with Wells, this morning.

PAY EMPLOYEES BONUS.

Distribution among its employees of a bonus amounting to $10,000 has just been made by the Pioneer Paper Company. This company was established in Los Angeles in 1888 by W. G. Hunt, who is still its president, and manufactures Pioneer roofing and building papers. It employs about 200 people.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

There are messages at the Western Union for B. G. Bilz, T. V. Bass, N. O. Berve, R. W. Brown, William Cochran, B. F. Doggett, Miss Louise Hunt, Joseph R. Hughes, Miss Anette McDonough, Georgia Messick, Lulu Wornett. At the Postal are messages for Miss Hazel Arnold, D. C. Williams, J. W. Dickinson, Mrs. W. S. McIntyre, Mrs. David Ford, Frank O. Meeker, R. C. Engieledew, Charles Everett, Clifford H. Akin, Maurice Landrin, W. D. Jenkins, George W. Thomas, Mr. Smith, L. L. Sherman, J. L. Powell and a cable for "Tekesona."

DR. ROURKE ACCEPTS CALL TO LONG BEACH.

SPRINGFIELD PASTOR WILL FILL PULPIT VACATED BY DR. WALKER.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONG BEACH, Jan. 31.—Succeeding Dr. Hugh K. Walker, who recently resigned to accept the pastorate of the First Presbyterian Church of Los Angeles, Dr. George M. Rourke, for the last five years pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Springfield, O., today wired his acceptance of the call of the First Church of Long Beach.

After being urged by his Springfield congregation to decline the California offer, Dr. Rourke waited until this afternoon, the last day allowed him by his church to return an answer, before announcing his decision. The call was extended by the local church January 2. In his acceptance of the call Dr. Rourke did not state when he would arrive in Long Beach to take up his work, but prayed "for one great united effort" in his new field.

Dr. Rourke, who is 40 years old, graduated from Princeton University while Woodrow Wilson headed that institution. He is married, but has no children.

DROP CARNIVAL.

Chamber of Commerce directors today adopted the resolution introduced by the Carnival of States Committee of that body recommending that the annual winter festival be called off this year on account of the war, and the necessity for economy and conservation. It was pointed out in the recommendation by the committee that New Orleans, for the first time, had postponed the holding of the Madri Gras because of the war.

Former Mayor Charles H. Windham, after being temporarily relieved from his duties as chairman of the Long Beach exemption board, county district No. 1, in compliance with municipal request, left for Washington, D. C., today, to work in the interest of securing an appropriation of $130,350 for the purpose of dredging the connecting channel between Long Beach and Los Angeles harbors.

"Think of Pierpont Inn, Ventura."—[Advertisement.

SALESMAN PLACED UNDER RESTRAINT.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VISALIA, Jan. 31.—Louis A. Danker, a salesman of Tacoma, is being held in the dentention hospital ward here pending word from relatives. Danker was placed under restraint after he had attacked James Barbis, proprietor of a restaurant here, who had refused to buy a carload of potatoes from Danker.

When removed to the County Hospital, Danker declared he is working for the government and became violent when Sheriff Smith and attaches of the Sheriff's officer refussed to carry out summary orders Danker said had been given him for disposition of the potato crop.

HOG RAISER GETS GARBAGE CONTRACT.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA MONICA, Jan. 31.—J. L. Nickerson, who conducts an extensive hog-raising industry in Brawley, Imperial and Sawtelle, was awarded a contract for the garbage of the city during the next two years, at a meeting of the Santa Monica Commissioners today. His bid for the garbage was $4.04 per ton.

Santa Monica officials state that the receipts from the garbage will leave a profit over the cost of collection. The city last year received $1.60 per ton for its garbage.

RED CROSS BRANCH IN NEW QUARTERS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SOUTH PASADENA, Jan 31.—Local Red Cross branch now has quarters fit to rank with places many times the population of South Pasadena. The generosity of a local property owner has put in the hands of the chapter a large two-story, twelve-room house, which is in every way adequate for the fullest expansion of the Red Cross work. The place contains many times the floor space of the former location, in an inconvenient store building. Situated as they are, many new ways of making money are now open. It is expected that tea and bridge opportunities will be provided, much as is done to bring in extra cash in Los Angeles and other cities.

To properly furnish the premises donations are being asked. A pressing need is a waste paper basket, while white string and letter files are also on the list. Services of a good sign painter would likewise be appreciated.

SALARIES RAISED.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SOUTH PASADENA, Jan. 31.—The "high cost of living" plea has brought salary raises to fourteen city employees. The raise amounts to $5 per month each and affects seven in the police department, three in the fire department, one in the park department and three telephone operators.

IT WAS SOME HONEYMOON.

Bride Says Groom Shot at Her, Threatened Her, Ousted Her.

The honeymoon of Mrs. Jacqueline Busby was replete with sensation, according to her suit for separate maintenance against James M. Busby, filed yesterday. She alleged that Mr. Busby threatened to use a shotgun on her; that he did shoot at her with a revolver and finally forced her into the street. They were pasing their honeymoon at No. 720 East Fifteenth street. Because of this treatment Mrs. Busby asks $30 a month alimony.

STUDENTS RAISE BIG SERVICE FLAG.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VENICE, Jan. 31.—Students of Venice Union Polytechnic High School enjoyed their strongest thrill of patriotism since the beginning of the war today, when the significance of the great conflict was brought home to them by the raising of a school service flag containing forty-five stars. Each of these stars represents a former Venice High School boy now in the United States service.

During the unveiling ceremony, which was performed by William Vail, vice-president of the student body, the roll of honor was read by Miss Muriel Espy.

Judge Rennie of Venice addressed the students of the school on "The Spirit of Service" as a part of the programme.

SHELVE SIDEWALK LAW PERMANENTLY.

COUNCIL SUSTAINS MAYOR'S VETO ON PROPOSED ORDINANCE.

The "sidewalk ordinance" was permanently shelved yesterday when the Council adopted a resolution sustaining the Mayor's veto of the measure. The action put an end to a movement to enact a law which would seriously affect business men within the business district and work a hardship on news dealers and others who earn a livelihood upon the sidewalks.

Mayor Woodman vetoed the measure because he did not believe the proposed law was necessary. He advised the Council that enforcement of the existing ordinance would meet all requirements. Incidentally he told the Council that it should not be too insistent that the existing law be rigidly enforced.

"We can not afford to pass laws that will interfere with legitimate business," said the Mayor, "and there are some provisions of the sidewalk ordinance which should be overlooked. It is seldom, anyhow, that an ordinance should be literally construed."

FIRST FARM BONDS SOLD.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—The Treasury today bought its first parcel of $2,000,000 farm loan bonds from the $100,000,000 fund provided for this purpose by Congress.

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[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VENICE, Jan. 31.—An example of the sharp advance in the value of old iron due to the demands of war was shown today in the application of Street Superintendent Walter F. Crawford for permission to purchase a pump for the city yards at a price not to exceed $45. According to Trustee Edward S. Hill, through whom this permission was asked of the board, Mr. Crawford had previously obtained its consent to trade a quantity of junk for a second-hand pump. The street superintendent had since been able to sell the junk for $75 cash, or almost twice the cost of a new pump. The permission was granted.

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FOR SALE—OR LEASE— (Formerly the plant of Pacific Mineral Products Co., 301 North Avenue 19.) Manufacturing and industrial site covering approximately ONE ACRE — Very convenient for warehouse. It is now covered with frame and sheet iron buildings. On Salt Lake and Santa Fe main tracks with spur. Will give long lease or will sell on easy terms. Address or phone. LOS ANGELES TIMES CREDIT DEPARTMENT.

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FOR SALE— Suburban Property.

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WATER IN LARGE VOLUME IS ALWAYS ON TAP ON THIS BEAUTIFUL FARM-HOME.

LEND YOUR EAR: Almost an acre, fenced, finest fertile soil. Every city home-comfort advantage, including gas, electricity, telephones, sidewalks, paved boulevards. A handsome, modern, 5-room bungalow and garage. Only 35 minutes from Sixth and Broadway on the yellow car line. Price reduced to only $2650 for rapid sale, $265 will handle, and $25 monthly will take care of the payments. We say: "Get busy if you want a snap." GUY M. RUSH CO., 901 Story Bldg.

FOR SALE— IN THE PATH OF DEVELOPMENT. LITTLE POULTRY RANCH. $100 DOWN, $15 PER MONTH.
Ramona Acres district. Improved with small house and a large colony chicken house, large enough for about 300 chickens. Level piece of land with sidewalks, curbs, electricity and water in. Close to car line and 25 minutes from Los Angeles. Price $1400; $100 down and move in; balance $15 per month, interest included. This is an extra good value in an improved little farm. Take Pomona-Covina car at 6th and Main sts. Sunday and get off at Wilmar, or see Mr. Hickerson or Mr. Loftus, with JANSS INVESTMENT CO., fourth floor Metropolitan Bldg., 5th and Broadway. Home 10345 or Broadway 3468.

FOR SALE—ALMOST 5 ACRES.
WASHINGTON BLVD., NEAR FIRST ST., PALMS. —$4500—
A REAL BONA FIDE SACRIFICE—Must be closed out this week. Recent bank appraisal $7800. Assessed at $900 per acre. Gas, electricity, water, electric car at the property. Now or never. You must remember that adjoining property is subdivided and improved, and has sold and being held at $2500 to $3000 per acre. CARLIN G. SMITH, 503 Higgins Bldg. F5785.

FOR SALE—COMPLETE SUBURBAN HOME IN Ramona Acre district, nearly new bungalow, modern in every respect. Two sleeping rooms and sleeping porch. Bath, electricity, hot and cold water. Complete chicken houses and runs; garage; many large Valencia orange trees; also peach trees. Land entirely fenced. Best of soil. Near cars. Wonderful mountain view. Curbs and sidewalks. Will sell for small cash payment. Balance monthly. Address J, box 331, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

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MY AKRETTE FARMS
Are just what you want for raising chickens, rabbits, etc. We have car line and city improvements close to the city, the foothills and on easy terms. Take a ride with me and see for yourself. M. L. MAY, 628 Van Nuys Bldg. Main 6017. 15411.

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THE ACRE IDEA AND ALL ITS POSSIBILITIES CAN BE BEST REALIZED HERE. ONLY 12 MILES FROM LOS ANGELES BUSINESS CENTER. PERFECT GARDEN SOIL. VERY CHEAP WATER. RIGHT ON CAR LINE. LIBERAL TERMS.
SOUTHLAND REALTY CORP.,
F7764. 413 S. HILL ST.

FOR SALE—BRAND NEW FOOTHILL HOME, 6 rooms, modern conveniences, hot air furnace, plenty soft water, 15 miles from Los Angeles; elevation 1600 ft.; no foggy days; one acre rich land; ready to plant to trees; must be seen to be appreciated. See MR. ANDERSON, Montrose Tract Office, or address R.F.D. No. 13, L. A.

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FOR SALE—NEAT ACRE PLACE, BETWEEN ALhambra and Monrovia, comfortable house, full-bearing orchard, chicken equipment, excellent neighborhood. Owner will sell at a sacrifice. A3819. D. D. COUGHRAN, Main 672. 715 Van Nuys Bldg.

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FOR SALE—2½ ACRES WITH GOOD HOUSE, lots of fruit, garage, gas, electricity. Quick sale wanted. Priced at a real bargain. Near Monrovia car line. Terms. SOUTHLAND REALTY CORP., 413 S. Hill st. F7764.

FOR SALE—10 SPLENDID SANDY LOAM ACRES, fine water system installed, boulevard frontage. A real bargain. Near Monrovia car line. SOUTHLAND REALTY CORP., F7764. 413 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE—GET THIS ACRE NOW. Fine corner acre with 80 full-bearing apple trees. Gas and electricity, unlimited cheap water. Edge of Walnut Park. Half price at $1375; terms. MR. WARNACK, 467 Pacific Electric Bldg.

FOR SALE—6 ACRES ON PAVED HIGHWAY near Monrovia line. Gas, water, electricity. $5000. No trade. THOMPSON & EDWARDS, 405 Fay Bldg. F5759.

FOR SALE—SMALL FARMS, ALSO CITY HOMES, some very good bargains. HOFFMAN, 604 Washington Bldg.

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FOR SALE—FINE EAST FRONT LOT, 92x197, TO 20-ft. alley; on 100-ft. wide avenue; nicely fenced; some fruit trees and roses; adjoins fine home; only one-half block to hotel and park; highly restricted locality. Price $3000. See owner, W. C. CAMPBELL, 409 O. T. Johnson Bldg. Phone A5419.

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FOR SALE—ABSOLUTE SACRIFICE OF ONE OF the very best corner lots in all Glendale. Southwest corner Central ave. and Sycamore st., 52½x160 ft. East front. Neighborhood the very best in city. Price just two-thirds of value, for quick sale. Room 302 CENTRAL BLDG., 6th and Main sts., Los Angeles. Call forenoons only.

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FOR SALE—5 ACRES NORTH OF WHITTIER blvd., near foothills; improved with a beautiful modern home. Land set to oranges and walnuts. Price $13,000, part cash, balance terms. CHARLES W. SCHAACK, Whittier blvd. and 6th st., Montebello.

FOR SALE—1 ACRE ON WHITTIER BLVD. IN Montebello, improved five-room house and garage, price $3500, part cash, balance terms. CHARLES W. SHAACK, Whittier ave. and 6th st., Montebello.

Van Nuys.

WANTED — ACREAGE NEAR VAN NUYS, FOR $4000 business lot in Los Angeles; ripe for stores, will assume or pay cash for difference. See J. J. SHINNERS, 10 to 11, 509 Van Nuys Bldg.

FOR SALE — AND SOME FOR EXCHANGE. Choice Van Nuys, San Fernando Valley properties. Note new address, 517 UNION OIL BLDG. 62298; Main 3633. FRANK FRARY.

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FOR SALE—BY OWNER OR WOULD RENT FOR $250 monthly, one of the most delightful places in the Oak Knoll district, large grounds, beautiful shrubbery; for quick sale will make you a present of the house. (7 rooms, hardwood floors, 2 baths, garage, etc.) Want to sell quick, submit offer. Will mail you photograph and location. Box 110, TIMES OFFICE, Pasadena.

FOR SALE— Beach Property.

Venice and Ocean Park.

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FOR SALE—THE QUEEN BEACH CITY. I OFfer for sale best located, best equipped, best money-making barber shop in Long Beach. This is good and price is right. C. F. MARTIN, 152 Pacific, Long Beach.

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FOR SALE—50 ACRES NEAR HARBOR. CALL ON or address E. OFF, Wilmington, Cal.

Wilmington.

FOR SALE—LOTS, $350 UP, WILMINGTON, A specialty since 1907. J. W. WEIGHTMAN, 516 Union Oil. 11263.

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FOR SALE — DO NOT FAIL TO VISIT THE Nuevo Land Show at 447 S. Spring st. It is both interesting and instructive. The most remarkable panoramic views of the entire Southern country yet produced. You can get a better idea of the different agricultural sections than by taking actual trips through the country. Courteous attendants to give you information. No tickets, no free excursions.
447 S. SPRING ST.

FOR SALE—GENTLEMAN'S COUNTRY HOME near Huntington Drive and San Gabriel blvd. 10-room furnished house, 2 car garage. 125 bearing fruit and nut trees; worth $20,000. Great sacrifice for cash. Will exchange for equally fine Wilshire home. Owner, BOX 685 R.F.D. No. 1, Sunny Slope, San Gabriel, Cal.

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FOR SALE — 640 ACRES OF GOOD CLOVER land, very desirable stock ranch, spring creek furnishes water all the year. Will sell or trade for small orchard proposition with buildings. HENRY WILSON, Ladysmith, Wis.

FOR SALE—2 40-ACRE TRACTS, ALL FENCED, 3 artesian wells, 20 H.P. motor, plenty of water. No. 1 land, no alkali, no hardpan; no failure of crops. 4 miles east of Lancaster; no exchange. BOX 302, Lancaster, Cal. Aug. Johnson.

FOR SALE — SOUTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD LANDS in Southern California for alfalfa, fruits and vegetables. Reasonable prices; long time to pay. S. P. LAND DEPT., 829 Story Bldg., Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFULLY LOCATED 10 ACRES, adjoining orange groves, 28 miles Los Angeles. Lady must sacrifice, $1000 cash. OWNER, 680 S. Bonnie Brae.

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FOR SALE—
HERE'S AN ACREAGE SNAP.
Investigate this quick; the N.W. 1-4 of S.E. 1-4 of Section 18, Township 1 N. Range 5 W. and the N. ½ of S.W. 1-4 of S.E. 1-4 of Section 18, Township 1 W. Range 5 W. Total 60 acres; also perpetual right of way along a strip 20 feet wide along the W. line of S. ½ of S.W. 1-4 of S.E. 1-4 of section 18. Situated about 4 miles west of Rialto, San Bernardino county, in the foothills. Land is suitable for bee culture, or poultry. Price $900. THE H. W. REED CO., 164 Pier ave., Ocean Park, Cal.

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Main 2875. 60478.

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The JAMES R. H. WAGNER CO.,
631 S. Spring st.
Main 2875; 60478.

FOR SALE—5 ACRES, BEST BUY IN STATE, 1 mile from Redondo, on Torrance Blvd., corner, water piped through land. OWNER, 1862 5th avenue.

FOR SALE—OR TRADE—40 ACRES OF LAND. BILL HAYHURST, Indio, Cal.

San Fernando Valley.

FOR SALE—$95 PER ACRE, 120 ACRES GARDEN, fruit and alfalfa land, near Burbank and Lankershim, with aqueduct city water. See OWNER, 712 H. W. Hellman Bldg. Phone A1300.

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FOR SALE—RANCHES, HOMES, ACRES. FREE list. WILSON BROS., Santa Cruz, Cal.

COACHELLA VALLEY—

FOR EXCHANGE—NEAR COACHELLA, 80-ACRE ranch, fine soil, house, pumping plant, dates, figs. Worth $5000; clear. Improvements cost $4000. Want city or suburban or clear eastern. CARDWELL CO., 401 Exchange Bldg., 3rd and Hill. Main 8561; 13307.

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FOR SALE—200 ACRES FINE COTTON LAND, close to Brawley, with 160 shares water stock. All in high state of cultivation. One crop will nearly pay for the land. I need money and will sell equity at great sacrifice. See owner, CHAS. MURRAY & CO., 623 S. Spring. F2757. Evenings Wilshire 43.

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SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY—

FOR SALE—
640 ACRES.
$25 per acre.
Very level, free from alkali, in cultivation, three miles from State highway, routing, valley to the coast, Fresno county, developed country. PETER M. NELSON, Hanford, Cal.

FOR SALE—ABOUT 3500 ACRES SAN JOAQUIN Valley land, good water conditions. $50 per acre. Might consider some exchange. GOLDEN STATE REALTY CO., A3411. 408 Central Bldg.

FOR SALE — 160 ACRES KERN COUNTY, GOOD soil, easy payments. Address P. O. box 187, LONG BEACH, Cal.

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FOR EXCHANGE—640 ACRES IN POTRERO VALley, San Diego county. Unimproved. Best deciduous fruit land, 3 miles to railroad. Value $50 cash per acre, clear. Will take Los Angeles clear, of same value. CHAS. F. EMERY, Potrero, California.

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FOR EXCHANGE—EASTERN.

WANT CHICAGO
FOR MODERN BUNGALOW.
Beautiful modern, nearly new, 7-room bungalow, hardwood floors, furnace in basement, garage. Near Santa Barbara and Vermont ave. Price $6500. Want Chicago to $5000.

WANT OAKLAND OR BERKELEY
FOR MODERN RESIDENCE.
Splendid 9-room, 2-story modern residence, hardwood floors, furnace, garage. Near Rampart blvd. and W. Sixth street. Price $12,500. Want Oakland or Berkeley to full value.

WANT PHOENIX
FOR ALHAMBRA RESIDENCE.
Fine 11-room, 2-story modern residence, hardwood floors, furnace, garage, big lawn. Price $16,000. Want in or near Phoenix, Arizona, to $12,000.

WANT DENVER
FOR MODERN RESIDENCE.
Substantial 2-story, 9-room modern residence, furnace, garage. Near Kingsley drive and Sixteenth street. Price $15,000. Want Denver to $12,000.

WANT SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA
FOR BOSTON RESIDENCE.
Modern, well-built 10-room, 2-story residence in the exclusive Brookline district of Boston, Massachusetts. Price $15,000. Want in or near Los Angeles to $10,000. This is choice.
JOHN P. HOLLAND COMPANY,
343 Title Ins. Bldg. F3563; Bdwy. 690.

FOR SALE—4300 ACRES COAL AND TIMBER lands in Western Kentucky, $100,000 in timber value, over 4-foot vein of coal, near L. & N. and I. C. railways; best tract of coal between Chicago and Nashville, $160 per acre. D. J. TERHUNE, Alhambra, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—OAKLAND AND VICINITY wanted for Los Angeles and Southern California. C. E. CURTIS, 1022 Marsh-Strong Bldg., Los Angeles. Phone F5903 from 1 to 3 p.m. or South 3453 from 8 to 10 a.m.

WANTED — NORTHERN OR EASTERN INCOME property to $100,000, in part payment for Los Angeles beautiful residence, with large, valuable grounds, centrally located. MR. HARRELL, 239 Washington Bldg. F8682.

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE 4 WELL LOCATED lots, corner, Seattle, Wash., $3500, clear, improvements all in and paid; want L. A. What have you? Phone OWNER, office 599645. Res. 599319.

WANTED—CLEAR EASTERN FOR 80-ACRE ranch at Coachella, fine date land, house, dates, figs, pumping plant. Improvements cost $3000. Price $5000, clear. 401 EXCHANGE BLDG., 3rd and Hill. Main 8561; 13307.

FOR EXCHANGE — 2 LOTS, 50x150, HIGH ground, 1 block from Echo Park car line, for clear land. California, northern or eastern. Address T8, box 526, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR EXCHANGE—VANCOUVER, B. C., CANADA, West End, improved city home, to exchange for Eastern Canada or U. S. property. Address Y, box 215, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—$25,000, COACHELLA, PART dates, leased cash rent; want northern stock ranch. WOODWARD, 401 Exchange Bldg., 3rd and Broadway.

FOR SALE—WILL TRADE FINE STOCK AND fruit ranch in Idaho for California property; value $18,000; mortgage $8000. Write JUDGE C. A. DAVIS, Boise, Idaho.

GOVERNMENT LAND—

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—160 ACRES RELINquishment; 4-room house, 6 H.P. pump, two wells, 25-ft. lift; all level, sandy loam, fine for alfalfa. For particulars address A, box 47, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—20 SETTLERS TO TAKE UP GOVernment land in a well fertile valley. For full information see J. R. BEDGOOD, 331 W. 5th st., Los Angeles.

"WE SELL TOWNSHIPS," COUNTY MAPS, WITH vacant land marked. See LEPOIDS, U. S. Deputy Mining Engineer, 356 S. Bdwy., Suite 221.

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AI OIL STOCK FOR SALE—WILL SACRIFICE some of my oil stock, need cash. Will sell any part or all. 8000 Double Standard, 7c; 25,000 West Belt, 5c; 10,000 Rex Petroleum, 4c. These have rich holdings in Wyoming, Colorado, Oklahoma and Texas. WALTER A. CHASE, Dacono, Colo.

I GUARANTEE TO LOCATE OIL FIELD, ON percentage. Ready to deliver 7 fields to any oil company. I guarantee Nos. 6 and 8, value output, 185,000,000 barrels. J. J. BOSTMAN, Compton, California.

ORANGE AND LEMON GROVES— For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR SALE— SOME FOR EXCHANGE. Choicest orange, lemon and walnut groves in Orange county. Richest county in the world. C. B. BERGER CO., Anaheim, Calif.

FOR SALE—THREE ACRES ORANGE GROVE, full bearing, San Gabriel boulevard, near Monrovia car line. Five-room bungalow and garage. All kinds fruits and flowers, crop pays 6 to 8 per cent. on price asked. Best water [...] Would take unincumbered modern bungalow in Los Angeles worth fully $5000 in a trade. DICKINSON, San Gabriel P.O.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE ORANGE GROVE which will pay in oil stock on the value [...] by the company, signed by the president, fifty thousand dollars, and will put in [...] worth of clear city property for larger [...] be clear and worth the money. Address 1467 W. 49TH ST.

FOR SALE—10 ACRES YOUNG VALENCIAS [...] crop on trees. Best water right. [...] tion, near Covina; $15,000, terms. [...] some good clear income in Tacoma to [...] for good young Valencia or lemon grove [...] same. Come in and talk it over with [...] & DICKSON, 1209 Baas Bldg.

FOR SALE — HEAVY PRODUCING [...] grove, 5½ acres, in Escondido Valley [...] house, electric lights, abundance of water [...] place for anyone wishing small income [...] No trades. Address BOX 211, Escondido.

FOR EXCHANGE—12-ACRE ORANGE [...] well improved, ½ Valencias, balance [...] Good buildings, gas and electricity; on [...] between Colton and Riverside. H. S. [...] 204 W. Ocean ave., Long Beach, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE — 20 ACRES, [...] lemons, grove interest with Valencias [...] Dimas. Price $20,000. A bargain. [...] change. BOX 283, LA VERNE, CAL.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, 10 ACRES OF [...] orange and lemon land in Porterville [...] unimproved. Price $1750; terms. Write [...] 72, Bakersfield, Cal.

HOTELS, ROOMING HOUSES— For Sale, Exchange, Lease, Wanted.

FOR SALE—OWNER RETIRING. Don't hold back, obey that impulse [...] follow up this ad. Grand old established [...] corner of 80 single rooms. Rent $4 [...] month, lease. Took in $1400 in the [...] December. Present owner had it for 14 [...] he's going back to the old, old home [...] don't worry about that; there's a dandy [...] coming out, than there is going back. [...] BUSY MY FRIEND and buy this fine [...] Price $5000. KEYSTONE CO., 610 Grand [...]

FOR SALE—ONLY $1650. TAKE $1000 [...] balance terms. There's a dandy [...] Fifth street, 50 singles, rooms, hot and [...] water in 12 rooms, and the rent is only [...] month with lease. It's GOOD FOR $250 [...] clear, all men roomers, fine steady trade [...] certainly is the best all around money maker [...] I have ever seen. Come with me and I'll [...] you a few things the guide books have [...] looked. KEYSTONE CO., 610 Grand ave.

FOR SALE—35-ROOM MONEY-MAKER AT A SACRIFICE. I must leave for Mexico at once to attend other business, and will dispose of my [...] a real bargain. Am making money, but [...] business demands my attention. Rent is right, rooms well occupied. Transient trade [...] place is well established. Deal direct [...] agent's commission. 315½ W. 2ND ST.

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FOR SALE—IN BUSY SAN PEDRO, [...] gantly furnished apartments. Low [...] steam-heated. Clears $300 monthly. [...] cation. BUSINESS INVESTMENT CO., [...] Spring.

FOR SALE—55-ROOM UP TOWN HOTEL [...] carpets new, hot and cold water, [...] sunny rooms, worth $4500; quick [...] clears $400 month. RYAN & STANLEY, [...] Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE—ONLY 4 BLOCKS WEST OF [...] way, 50-room apartment-house, rent [...] month, lease, all filled. Nicely furnished, [...] $1250. KEYSTONE CO., 610 Grand ave.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—35-ROOM [...] brick, rent $100, close in west side, [...] sider bungalow. RYAN & STANLEY, [...] Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE—27 ROOMS, FURNITURE AND [...] nishing, good location, account other [...] must sell. Rent $60. Call make offer. [...] 24, 119½ S. SPRING ST.

FOR SALE—5 ROOMS, IN GOOD CON[...] Flat for rent. Delightful neighborhood [...] ing distance. $250. Phone evenings [...]

WANTED — AVOID VEXATIOUS DE[...] telephoning your Sunday ads to The [...] Friday or early Saturday. PICO 700; 10891.

FOR SALE—27 ROOMS NEAR CENTRAL [...] No empty rooms. Cheap rent; lease. [...] MAIN 3035.

APARTMENT HOUSES— For Sale, Exchange, Lease, Wanted.

WANTED—APARTMENT-HOUSE PROPERTY [...] furniture, west side or Hollywood, [...] or 60 rooms, for 12-room residence [...] west side, value $12,000 and $12,[...] will assume balance. Address D4, [...] TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE— Houses.

FOR EXCHANGE—$5000, CLOSE-IN BUNGALOW [...] Want ranch, will assume. 322 CALIF[...] BLDG. Main 5579.

FOR EXCHANGE— Lots.

FOR EXCHANGE—CLEAR CORNER LOT [...] the highest of ground, in the best of [...] shire district, $3000; lot between Vermont [...] Line and Washington Blvd. and about 1 [...] from station at Culver City, $2000, clear [...] improved acre at Santa Monica, price $[...] ject to $2000, for income property and [...] up to $4000. O. M. NEWBY, with O[...] CORTELYOU, 534 Bradbury Bldg. A1[...]

FOR SALE—4 SANITARY ROLL TOP [...] desks, 4 swivel leather seated chairs [...] side chairs to match; also rug 12x15 [...] right for cash, or trade for new and [...] Address owner, 3529 6TH AVE.

FOR EXCHANGE—CORNER LOT 50x150 [...] four-room house, Northwest corner [...] Wood and Broadway, Glendale. Mortgage [...] cent. 447 WILCOX BLDG.

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE TEN LOTS, [...] location, value $12,000; want [...] try place, prefer walnut grove. Address [...] 78, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—TWO WELL LOCATED [...] in Watts to exchange for Ford or other automobile. Address LOCK BOX 810, L. [...]

FOR EXCHANGE — N.E. CORNER OF [...] place and Vermont; this is ripe and [...] See owner, V. CAREY, 69465, 325 N. [...]

FOR EXCHANGE — GOOD RANCH OR [...] lots, for your bungalow, if clear will [...] JOHNSON, 337 S. Hill. Main 6637.

FOR EXCHANGE— Beach Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—WOULD YOU ACCEPT [...] and live in this climate? Forced to [...] Long Beach property which most [...] authority appraised at $200,000 eighteen [...] ago. Will again go to $300,000. [...] $100,000 on it. Make me reasonable [...] clear income or large farm. Address [...] box 1237, TIMES OFFICE, Long Beach. [...]

FOR EXCHANGE— Country Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANT NEBRASKA, [...] South Dakota farm. Have $22,000 [...] well located acreage property in Ontario, [...] east of Los Angeles to exchange, [...] bearing peaches, brings in over 10 per [...] Also have 40-acre alfalfa ranch near [...] ing for $31.50 an acre cash rent. I will [...] Write me what you have. E. T. HEYDEN, [...] S. Vine st., Ontario, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—EIGHTY ACRES [...] land, situated in Casa Grande Valley, [...] only forty feet to water, surrounding land [...] ly improved. Well adapted to cotton [...] Want clear residence in southwest [...] Value $50 per acre. Room 14, HOTEL [...] San Pedro.

FOR EXCHANGE—3 ACRES WITH [...] house, and barn, Sawtelle; trade for [...] acres Corona with cheap water, house, [...] other buildings. Want city. EAST [...] 2108; 2800 Dayton.

FOR EXCHANGE—20 ACRES OF LAND [...] ced, in the heart of alfalfa belt, [...] land, plenty of water; trade for house [...] this can be made a snap. Phone COLO[...] Pasadena.

FOR EXCHANGE — I BUY, SELL, [...] change Alberta farm lands. W. J. [...] 214 Boston Block, Seattle, Wash.

FOR EXCHANGE — COME WITH ME [...] vestigate Hemet Valley lands; auto [...] each week. 4035 BRIGHTON AVE. [...]

FOR EXCHANGE— Real Estate, Miscellaneous.

FOR EXCHANGE—BETWEEN 6 AND 9 [...] Saturday evening The Times telephone board is swamped with "Wants ads." [...] lay by telephoning your Sunday ads [...] early Saturday. PICO 700; 10891.

FOR EXCHANGE—GO TO BEN WHITE [...] sell or exchange property. 304 [...] Second and Spring sts.

BUSINESS INVESTMENTS—

THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE endeavor to telephone ads to The [...] same time Saturday evening. Do it [...] early Saturday and avoid confusion. [...] 10891.

WANTED—$10,000 FOR 1-3 INTEREST [...] Ford tires. Cost $5; sell $10; [...] osition. H, box 549, TIMES SPRING ST. [...]

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WANTED—HUSTLER TAKE ACTIVE PART [...] paying business, easily learned, [...] sibilities now net $125 month up. [...] Room 24, 119½ S. SPRING ST.

PARTNER WANTED IN CLEAN, [...] business, that pays good returns, [...] ence necessary. $300 for interest. [...] 316 Am. Bk. Bldg., 120 W. 2nd. [...]

FOR SALE—GENERAL STORE, DOING A [...] business. For particulars write [...] MINGTON, CAL.

WANTED — SOME PEOPLE TO JOIN [...] growing beans; splendid proposition [...] 209 GRANT BLDG.

Classified Liners.

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[...]INE & WILBER, 527 SECURITY BLDG., [...] and Spring sts. A5866; Bdwy. 1249. TITLES GUARANTEED.

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[...]NDERSON MERCHANDISE EXCHANGE, [...] Locust st., Long Beach, California. [...]

[...]E TALKING BUDDHA— [...]

[...]

ORANGE AND LEMON GROVES—
For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR SALE—THREE ACRES ORANGE GROVE, full bearing, San Gabriel boulevard, near ... All kinds fruits and flowers, crop pays ... Would take unincumbered modern bungalow ... Los Angeles worth fully $5000 in a trade. ... DICKINSON, San Gabriel P.O.

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FOR SALE—HEAVY PRODUCING ... Address BOX 211, Escondido.

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FOR EXCHANGE—20 ACRES ... BOX 283, LA VERNE, CAL.

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FOR SALE—OWNER RETIRING. ... KEYSTONE CO., 610 Grand av.

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FOR SALE—IN BUSY SAN PEDRO. ... BUSINESS INVESTMENT CO., 316½ ...

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For Sale, Exchange, Lease, Wanted.

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Houses.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Lots.

FOR EXCHANGE—
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FOR EXCHANGE—
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FOR EXCHANGE—
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$1000: Half interest, tire, retreading, vulcanizing, nets $250 mo.; fine equipment; investigate.
$850: Garage, repair shop, Long Beach; good storage; nets $250 mo.; fine opening.
$6700: Theater, seats 1000; heart of city; biggest bargain Southern Cal.; lifetime opportunity.
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808 WASHINGTON BLDG.
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ANDERSON MERCHANDISE EXCHANGE, 109 Locust st., Long Beach, California. We can help you in or out of business. Our specialty stocks of groceries, dry goods, hats, shoes, clothing and furnishings. If you wish to buy, sell or trade for land or property or close out part or all of your stock, write us, telling all about your business and what you want done. ANDERSON MERCHANDISE EXCHANGE, 109 Locust st., Long Beach, Cal.

THE TALKING BUDDHA—
The mysterious talking idol that has puzzled thousands, for sale. 12 inches high, inside entirely open, leaving no room for concealed mechanism, yet it gives an intelligent detailed answer to any question asked of it. Greatest money getter for showmen ever devised. On exhibition by appointment at 1982 BONSALLO ST.

$100-$300 INVESTED WITH MINE SAME amount. I really think it will double within one year. You can't lose your money in this investment as there is a positive guarantee goes with it. Money back on call. Strictly business. See CARTRIGHT, Citizens National Bank Bldg.

DO YOU WANT TO GO INTO THE GARAGE business? I have a most extraordinary location to offer where you can split the rent with another tenant at an exceedingly low rate. For further particulars, see F. E. BUNDY, 1983 W. Jefferson. West 4628.

FOR SALE—A MONEY-MAKER, LOS ANGELES tract water plant, cottage and lot; monthly net steady income from water $45, will be more; plant practically runs itself, and owner can employ his time elsewhere. $2350, half cash, balance terms. DELAVAN, 627 Bryson Block, 13536.

I OWN A CLEAN, PLEASANT OFFICE BUSINESS, but have not time to manage it. The right party can secure half interest for $350. This is an established, paying business. Consideration will be given only to a man who is able to manage it and appreciate its splendid possibilities for development. Call 719 GRANT BLDG., 355 Broadway.

ON TO VICTORY—
Uncle Sam needs oil in tremendous quantities. In offer you 20 acres of government land free if you will develop it; will you put in your claim if we agree to develop it for you? SNOWDEN, 619 Chamber of Commerce.

FOR SALE—UP-TO-DATE GENERAL STORE IN small town, good business in good locality, thickly settled, on 1 to 20-acre ranches and lemon ranches, 4 miles east of Orange. Cash invoice price. Have outside work. G. W. SHORT, El Modena, Cal. Phone Orange 72.

I HAVE A SPLENDID OPENING IN MY BUSINESS district for a butcher; to show my faith in the location will give 3 months' free rent. I also have another good location for plumber and will make same terms. See F. E. BUNDY, Owner, 1983 W. Jefferson. West 4628.

FOR SALE—THE BEST CLEANING AND PRESSING shop in Long Beach. $800; also two other shops, one $300, one $250. Reason for selling none of help called to war. No agency. See OWNER, 567 E. Ocean ave., Long Beach.

FOR SALE—WELL ESTABLISHED, VERY PROFitable, auto machine shop, electric and ignition work, located in Imperial Valley. This is a good proposition for one or two good mechanics. Address W, box 29, TIMES OFFICE.

GARAGE AND REPAIR SHOP ON BUSY THOROUGHFARE. Storage pays rent and night man. Other business interests require my attention. Will sell at big discount and arrange easy terms. Inquire 308 DELTA BLDG., 426 S. Spring.

MEN'S MODERN TURKISH BATHS AND HOTEL. Established in Los Angeles 24 years. 32 rooms, 14 beds. Cost $15,000 to equip. 5-year lease. Downtown. Price $10,000, part trade. BUSINESS INVESTMENT CO., 316½ S. Spring.

FOR SALE—SHOE SHOP, FULLY EQUIPPED, doing fine business, clearing about $120 per month. Will sell at a sacrifice as I am leaving town. No agents. 107 S. CENTRAL AVE., Eagle Rock City.

THE BUSINESS CHANCE EXCHANGE—HANDLES all the "business chances" in a business way. Get busy, come to the exchange and take a "business chance." E. F. M'NEILL, 443 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR SALE—HALF INTEREST IN CANNDY MANUfacturing business to lady who could attend to small part. Small investment. Address A, box 20, TIMES OFFICE.

BE AN EXCEPTION—
Don't wait until the last moment to telephone your Sunday ads to The Times. Do it Friday or early Saturday. PICO 700; 10391.

DRAFTED—MUST SELL MY ESTABLISHED AUTO repair business, also shop for battery and electrical work, all fully equipped and doing big business; address HT, ... TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—WINDOW SHADE AND DRAPERY business, 5 years in present location; workroom fully equipped. Power machines, etc. Address A, box ... TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE — 4-TABLE POOL hall, with cigar stand; manufacturing district; will take clear lot and cash; owner sick; act quick. See KEMPER, 431 Wesley Roberts Bldg.

THE LARGEST AND BEST EQUIPPED KODAK finishing plant in San Diego. Employing 5 people and doing a fine business. Other interests demand attention. 524 F ST., San Diego.

ON ACCOUNT OF SICKNESS WILL SELL GROcery stock and fixtures including soda fountain, all or part, very reasonable. Good location, low rent. 3767 S. NORMANDIE.

CASH GROCERY, APT.-HOUSE LOCATION, doing strictly cash business, no soliciting or delivery; rent $30, including nice living apt. Price $450. 308 DELTA BLDG., 426 S. Spring.

$450—PARTNER WANTED, CAFE WITH LIQUOR license. Seats 60. Present owner first-class chef. Good buy. BUSINESS INVESTMENT CO., 316½ S. Spring.

DENTIST, ESTABLISHED PRACTICE, OFFICE and living rooms, cheap. N. E. corner Hoover and Vernon. See J. J. SHINNERS, 10 to 11, 500 Van Nuys Bldg.

TELEPHONE "WANT ADS"
for insertion in the Sunday Times should be phoned before the rush of business Saturday night. PICO 700; 10391.

FOR SALE—SECOND-HAND CLOTHING STORE, best location in city. If you want to make big money don't overlook this opportunity. Must sell immediately. Call 658 CENTRAL AVE.

GROCERY AUCTION SALE TODAY, 10 A.M., E. 28th st. and Hooper ave. Large stock, trade and everybody come. F7979. BROOME, Auctioneer. Vt. 4585.

FIRST-CLASS AUTOMOBILE MECHANIC TO TAKE shop. Good proposition for right man. No capital required. Answer and give phone number. Address W, box 47, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—DELICATESSEN AND LUNCH ROOM near Poly High and st. Vincent School, established 7 years; will sacrifice. Phone SOUTH 1646 or 24366.

$2000—RESTAURANT IN BUSY SHOPPING DIStrict, $50 daily business; good fixtures, airy and light place. A sure money-maker. BUSINESS INVESTMENT CO., 316½ S. Spring.

FOR SALE—EXCLUSIVE CONTRACT COAST TERritory for auto accessory, now established with trade. Will sacrifice for quick action. Address J, box 326, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANT BRIGHT, ACTIVE PARTNER IN SUBSTANtial business office; first-class references and $800 cash required, fully secured. 620 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

FOR SALE—818 S. HILL, ROOMING-HOUSE, 17 rooms, 1 auto shop, 3 garages, parking space. Quick sale.

WANTED—ASSISTANT MANUFACTURING BUSIness. $1000 buys interest. (Nothing better.) Weekly salary and interest, large income assured. See ... 201 GRANT BLDG.

FOR SALE—UP-TO-DATE VULCANIZING SHOP, best location in city; going East; must sell. 807 S. OLIVE.

GROCERY STORE, $500—A BARGAIN. ... cash business. Good location. Sales $50 day. 511 DELTA BLDG.

FOR SALE—SHOE SHOP, CHAMPION OUTFIT, cash or terms. 219½ TEMPLE ST., Opposite Courthouse.

FOR SALE—SHOE SHOP LOCATED 475 NORTH FAIR OAKS AVE., Pasadena. Good location and business.

FOR SALE—THE CORIEST LUNCH AND DELICAtessen in the new shopping district. Fine for a woman. 513 W. 7TH.

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WANTED—CAPABLE PARTNER, ESTABLISHED manufacturing business. Large profits, small investment. SPARLING, 19610, Pico 358.

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Telephone your Sunday ads to The Times Friday or early Saturday. 10391; PICO 700.

FOR SALE — SHOWCASES, SODA FOUNTAIN; biggest stock in the West. WEBER'S SHOWCASE & FIXTURE CO., 310-320 S. Los Angeles.

WANTED—A PARTY TO FURNISH 50 HOGS TO fatten. I will furnish all feed and pens necessary, near the city. W. box 97, TIMES OFFICE.

PARTNER, $350 BUYS ½ INTEREST LIGHT paying business, experience not necessary. COAST CO., 307 Hibernian Bldg.

FOR SALE—RESTAURANT AT A BARGAIN, IF taken at once. Fine place for man and wife. 1016 W. WASHINGTON.

REMOVAL NOTICE—
J. VERNON GIVAN, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, HAS MOVED TO 1107 VAN NUYS BLDG.

CROCKETT & MARSH, 408 HAAS BLDG. Northeast corner 7th and Broadway. Bank references. Titles guaranteed.
$750—GROCERY, 4 furnished rooms; receipts $25 day; rent $15. $150 invoice; bargain.
$1200—OIL STATION, main blvd., fine location, large stock; rent $6.25; long lease.
$2500—BARBER SHOP, cigar stand, large stock, clearing $250 month; owner drafted, snap.
$1250—DAIRY STORE, near-by city, little opposition, sales $35 day; couple make money.
$1050—CIGAR STAND, best of fixtures, big discount on stock, close to Broadway.
$2000—BINDERY, power equip.; ruling mch., everything modern; large new stock; sacrifice.
$2500—RESTAURANT, seats 63, est. 7 years, receipts $85 day; steadily increasing; trial.
$4200—GROCERY, MARKET, receipts $200 day, good fixtures, clean stock, part cash.; bargain.

FOR SALE—OR LEASE—
(Formerly the plant of Pacific Mineral Products Co., 301 North Avenue 19.)
Manufacturing and industrial site covering approximately ONE ACRE — Very convenient for warehouse. It is now covered with frame and sheet iron buildings. On Salt Lake and Santa Fe main tracks with spur.
Will give long lease or will sell on easy terms. Address or phone.
LOS ANGELES TIMES CREDIT DEPARTMENT.

FOR SALE—RETAIL ESTABLISHMENT, BEST of its kind in this city, doing about $100,000 annually, is for sale at invoice of stock for cash, fixtures and equipment can be had on terms if desired. Takes about $20,000 to handle. If interested address TA, box 390, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH, or see my agent, C. SMITH, 205 Currier Bldg.

FOR SALE—A MODERN CASH BASKET GROCERY store in a progressive and growing town near Los Angeles. This store is just 1 year old and the daily average sales are $128. Fine location, good terms and long lease of the building on the main street. For further information call the L. A. GROCERY CO., 1763 E. 9th st. Main 4274.

RESTAURANT, DOING BUSINESS, $75 DAILY, long established. Rent $75; owner will give trial.
$750—Well equipped restaurant. Owner will show profit $200 monthly. Rent $25.
CHICAGO BUSINESS BROKERAGE,
217½ S. Spring, Room 5.

I HAVE A LARGE BRICK STORE BUILDING 40x130; very desirable for storing furniture and other things, will rent at $25 per month on long lease; this is a remarkable opportunity; also two smaller stores with free rent; while becoming established. See F. E. BUNDY, owner, 1983 W. Jefferson. West 4628.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TEA AND COFFEE business in Fresno, clearing $400 month; a rare chance to get a business of this kind; $2400 cash will handle. Address TEA & COFFEE STORE, 2604 Tulare st., Fresno.

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FOR SALE—BUSIEST LITTLE GROCERY STOCK and fixtures; low rent; living rooms. 1320 S. LOS ANGELES ST.

FOR SALE—WELL ESTABLISHED CLEANING and pressing business. 705 E. 5TH.

CIGAR BUSINESS, $175, IN OFFICE BLDG. rent $15; snap. COAST CO., 307 Hibernian Bldg.

FOR QUICK ACTION DROP ANSWERS TO Times "Liners" in Times' letter boxes in downtown office buildings. The locations of the boxes are printed in the first column of The Times "Liner" section.

SWAPS—
All Sorts.

FOR EXCHANGE — GOOD 6-CYLINDER 1917 model car, for good car or property in Southern Idaho or Eastern Oregon. Address B. S., 14 BROOKSIDE, Redlands, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—$900 EQUITY IN A 7-ROOM chalet in the southwest. Grand ave. car. Want clear lot or might take auto. Call MILLER, South 5260J.

FOR EXCHANGE — 4½x9 POOL TABLE FOR lathe or other machinery; also want to buy old 4-cylinder Elmore auto, must be cheap.

BUSINESS CHANCES WANTED—

WANTED — STOCKS OF MERCHANDISE ANY amount, groceries, dry goods, shoes, ladies' and gents' furnishings, hardware, machinery, jewelry, notions, office furniture, highest cash price paid for same. Money advanced on consignments. Before you sell or trade be sure and call us, it will be your benefit. All our business is strictly confidential. J. J. SUGARMAN, 142-148 N. Spring st. F4810; Main 3114.

WANTED—STOCK OF MERCHANDISE, FURNISHings, clothing, hats and shoes, etc. Address A, box 30, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO RENT OR BUY GARAGE AND auto repair shop. State price and particulars. Address A, box 13, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—RESTAURANT OR LUNCH ROOM IN good location. Address A, box 18, TIMES OFFICE.

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MONEY TO LOAN—
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WE LOAN OUR OWN MONEY ON REAL ESTATE, no commission. Interest 6½ and 7 per cent. Quick action.
THE JOHN M. C. MARBLE COMPANY,
GROUND FLOOR H. W. HELLMAN BLDG.
CORNER FOURTH AND SPRING STS.
A2897. Main 392.

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In sums of $100 to $1,000,000.
Mortgages purchased.
Building loans a specialty.
MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS,
Wickliffe Matthews, Attorney-at-Law,
Consultation and appraisements free.
310 Douglas Bldg., corner Third and Spring sts.

RESIDENCES, APARTMENTS, FLATS—
IN SUMS OF $50 TO $50,000 AND UP.
Cash for first mortgages.
Straight building loans a specialty.
Interest at 6, 7 and 8 per cent. and up.
CONSOLIDATED MORTGAGE CO.
420 Washington Bldg. Main 5255.

MONEY TO LOAN—
ON IMPROVED CITY PROPERTY.
Or for building, on easy terms of repayment.
STATE MUTUAL BLDG. & LOAN ASSOCIATION,
722 S. Spring street.

MONEY AT 6 AND 7 PER CENT., FOR GOOD city and country loans.
GUY M. RUSH CO.,
901-5 Story Bldg.
Bdwy. 24. 60055.

LOW RATE FUNDS FOR CITY AND RANCHES.
F. A. PATTEE & CO.,
1317 Haas Bldg. F6485—Main 5510.

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$2000 to $50,000 AT ALL TIMES, CITY OR country, including San Joaquin. BLADEN, with Strong, Dickinson & McGrath, 1015 Marsh-Strong Bldg. 60195, Main 1273.

$1000 TO $6500 TO LOAN ON RESIDENCE OR income property at 6 to 7 per cent. prompt action will be given. BUCHANAN, 14289 or Bdwy. 787.

LOANS— —LOANS— —LOANS
Money to loan on first and second mortgages. Loans bought and sold, no delay. W. E. CHRISMAN, 718 Hibernian Bldg.

TO LOAN—I WILL LOAN AT ONCE ON CITY, county or beach property up to $50,000. H. C. HOLLINS, 1200 S. Westlake ave. 54775. West 568.

WILL LOAN ON REAL ESTATE AT CURRENT rates. Money ready and quick action guaranteed. JOSEPH L. LEVY, 711 Hollingsworth Bldg. 62581, Main 4258.

MONEY TO LOAN ON CITY OR COUNTRY REAL estate, improved or vacant, at current rates. HAROLD E. ALLEN, 4th floor Realty Board Bldg., 631 S. Spring st. Phone 60478, Main 2875.

TO LOAN—$1000 TO $50,000 ON CITY AND country real estate at current rates.
A2180. McCONNELL & IRVINE,
Main 2180. 535 Security Bldg.

TO LOAN—CITY PROPERTY, CITRUS, ALFALFA ranches, $1500, $2000, $2500, $3000, $4000, $5000, $6000 to $15,000. CHAPPEL, 611 Lissner Bldg. 14471.

QUICK SECOND MORTGAGE LOANS, $100 TO $1000; lowest rate, no brokerage, title or escrow fee. Money same day. Private party. W. HALL CROWELL, 424 S. Broadway, Room 612.

HAVE 6½ PER CENT. MONEY FOR IMPROVED country in amounts over $5000. WESLEY C. GREEN, 1011 Trust and Savings Bldg. A5924.

MONEY TO LOAN—ANY AMOUNT AT CURRENT rates on city and country real estate. F. H. EVARTS, 606 Van Nuys Bldg. Main 2048, A4959.

MONEY TO LOAN AT 6 AND 7, AT ALL TIMES, on improved real estate. GOODRICH REALTY CO., 2904 E. First st. Boyle 1183; 41890.

TO LOAN—$3000, 7 PER CENT., FIRST-CLASS mortgage required. Call 506366, before 9 a.m. or after 5 p.m.

MONEY TO LOAN—CONTRACTS AND TRUST deeds bought. C. A. BOGUE, 187 N. Fair Oaks, Pasadena.

PRIVATE PARTY WILL LOAN ON IMPROVED realty, 6 and 7 per cent.; no vacant lots or acreage. Principals only. PHONE 79710.

SIX PER CENT. MONEY, CITY OR RANCHES. A. R. EARNEST & CO., 531 H. W. Hellman Bldg. Hugh K. Walker, Jr., S. Rhea Earnest.

PRIVATE MONEY, 5½ TO 7; CITY, COUNTRY or building loans. LOCKHART & SONS, 731 H. W. Hellman Bldg. A2776, Main 5578.

R. W. POINDEXTER, 409 WILCOX BLDG., loans on improved property, any reasonable amount. Building loans a specialty.

PRIVATE MONEY LOANED ON IMPROVED realty, 6 and 7 per cent. Address X, box 284, TIMES OFFICE.

ANY AMT., $1000 TO $10,000, TO LOAN. HARRY JACKINS, 616 Union Oil Bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN—
Real Estate and Improvements.

QUICK LOANS—
SECOND MORTGAGE MONEY.
Quick loans, same day of application, $50 to $1000. One to twelve months' time. First or second mortgages. City or county.
No commission. No title fees. Our own money. Taxes, interest and assessments paid.
WATERMAN & CO.,
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MONEY TO LOAN—ANY AMOUNT ON VACANT OR improved; building loans a specialty, current rates.
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F3121. 504-505 Bradbury Bldg. Main 2715.

MONEY TO LOAN—
Salaries, Chattels and Collateral.

BRITISH-AMERICAN LOAN CO.—
704 Security Bldg.
Makes private personal loans to men and women on notes not acceptable at banks. Rest assured you will receive personal private consideration, kindly treatment, lowest rates in the city. Our satisfied customers say our service is "always better at a little less."
CALL AT 704 SECURITY BLDG., 5TH & SPRING.
For details phone Broadway 675 or 63260.
BRITISH-AMERICAN LOAN CO.—

FURNITURE, PIANOS, AUTOMOBILES. Security left in your possession; all business confidential.
INTEREST 2 PER CENT. PER MONTH.
PROVIDENT PLEDGE LOAN COMPANY,
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SALARIES, OWNERS OF FURNITURE, PIANOS. Low rates, confidential, quick service.
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608 Security Bldg., 510 S. Spring.

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While in use or stored; delinquents assisted. DROLLINGER, 320 Cons. Realty Bldg. F6022.

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F6312. CENTRAL LOAN CO., Main 4018.
509 Security Bldg.

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PRIVATE PARTY LOANS ON FURNITURE, autos, works of art, etc., reas. 1024 STORY BL.

MONEY TO LOAN—
Diamonds, Jewelry.

MONEY TO LOAN ON DIAMONDS—DIAMONDS, Jewelry, pearls, silverware and other valuable articles. Pledges kept in bank safe deposit vaults. Courtesy, fair treatment, and confidence are our business policies. Private rooms for your convenience. Interest 1 to 2 per cent. No other charges. Quick action. Liberal loans. References.
MARKWELL & CO.,
300 Citizens' National Bank Bldg.
Fifth and Spring. Phone A5792.

MONEY TO LOAN—
ON DIAMONDS AND JEWELRY.
1 to 2 per cent.; absolutely no other charges. Diamonds kept in your own sealed package to deposit vault until redeemed. Furniture, pianos, autos in storage. Reliable, 29 years in business. Bank references. Business strictly confidential.
A2102. THEO. J. WELK, Main 8377.
408 Investment Bldg., Eighth and Broadway.

LIBERAL LOANS ON DIAMONDS, JEWELRY, furs, oriental rugs, 1 to 2 per cent., no other charge; responsible bank references; private rooms; business confidential; diamonds kept sealed in bank vault. FRITCH-LAUGHLIN, 710 Grant Bldg., Fourth and Broadway.

DIAMONDS, JEWELRY—
Liberal loans, courteous treatment. W. L. WHEDON, Mgr., 402 Trust & Sav. Bldg., 6 & Sp.

DIAMOND LOANS, 1 TO 2 PER CENT. KUSEL, 306-07 Stimson Bldg., Third and Spring.

MONEY WANTED—
Real Estate and Collaterals.

WANTED—MONEY ON FIRST MORTGAGES.
$900—3 years, 8 per cent., on lot 40x130, with fine 4-room house, No. 2719 Malabar st., Boyle Heights. Value $1800.
$1000—3 years, 8 per cent., on lot 40x140, with fine 4-room house, No. 2828 Boulder st., Boyle Heights. Value $2000.
$1100—3 years, 8 per cent., on lot 40x140, with fine 4-room house, No. 2728 Winter street.
$1700—3 years, 8 per cent., on lot 40x137, on West 60th street, between Figueroa and Hoover sts. with fine 5-room house. Value $3250.
MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS,
310 Douglas Bldg., corner 3rd and Spring.

WANTED—ON
CHOICE HOLLYWOOD.
$3000 on $15,000, 135x165 ft. Hollywood blvd. corner or $4000 on $12,000, 135 ft. frontage by 115 ft. deep or $6000 on $18,000, 135x165 ft. corner and 50x135 ft. adjoining lot. Owner has $200,000 clear equities in this locality and $2200 monthly income. Adjacent sales have been made in excess of these valuations. F. A. PATTEE & CO., 1317 Haas Bldg. Main 5510; F6485.

WANTED—$2500 AT 8 PER CENT., 2 YEARS, on 25 acres of good level land, 5 miles from San Bernardino, worth $300 an acre or $750 as it is now. You can hold $1000 of the $2500 until the land is plowed and seeded and pumping plant installed. This will make the land worth $500 an acre or worth $12,500. 447 WILCOX BLDG.

WANTED—$7500 ON $20,000 PROPERTY.
New flat building, all leased, at 5548 Santa Monica blvd., Hollywood, one block from Western. Paved street. Just sold for $20,000. No commission. OWNER, 1053 Citizens Bank Bldg. 10718, Main 2558.

WANTED—$900 FOR A FIRST MORTGAGE OF $1000, due 2 years, 8 per cent. interest, secured by $2000 lot, 1 block of Hollywood car line. This lot is a corner. Fit for flats. Is like just right on high ground and is absolute security. HENRY ENGEN, 304 S. Broadway, Room 224. Phone F4636.

WANTED—FIRST MORTGAGE LOANS—VALUE.
$2400—Modern Swiss chalet, S.W. $5500
$3200—New 8-r. duplex, near Sunset $6700
$1500—Modern home, S.W. $3250
$1250—5-r. home, S.E. $2700
709 HOLLINGSWORTH BLDG. 14289; Bdwy. 787.

WANTED—$12,000 TO FINANCE PLANTING 300 acres long staple Pima cotton. Have large body land Casa Grande, with water. Will repay principal first returns crop and one-fourth profit. Approximately $25,000. We do the work. Full particulars. Address J, box 535, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—$850, 8 PER CENT., FIRST MORTgage on $1600, city employee, home place, 75x145, splendid level garden loam, with good 5-room house, fine street; 15 minutes to Edendale. ERNEST R. FAIR, 517 Grant Bldg. Main 1447; F6296.

WANTED—TO BORROW FROM PRIVATE PARTies, $18,000 for 3 years at 7 per cent., on an apartment-house located in the Westlake district, value $50,000. Call Apt. No. 6, HOME PHONE 22930. Wish a quick loan.

WANTED—$1250, FIRST MORTGAGE, 5-ROOM bungalow, well located, one block off car line, Pasadena way. Value $2750. Will pay 8 per cent. for quick action. ENGEN, 224 Bradbury Bldg. F4636.

WANTED—$20,000, 7 PER CENT., LARGE 15-room residence, corner 150x150, Wilshire district, value $50,000. Owner assessed in this county for $250,000. FRANK FISH, 404 Metropolitan Bldg. 10845 or Bdwy. 2468.

WANTED—MONEY, $1000, 8, LANKERSHIM, 5 acres, fronting boulevard, value $3000. $900—5, southwest corner Bonnie Brae and Court st. JANSEN T. KELLY CO., 505 Haas Bldg. A3821. Main 3332.

WANTED—AT 7 PER CENT.
$1500—100x150, Hollyw'd, Oakw'd, vac., $4500.
$6500—60-A. ranch, near Downey, $21,000.
$16,000—160x100, imp., cor. S. Figueroa, $45,000.
14471. CHAPPEL, 611 Lissner Bldg.

WANTED—$4000, 7 PER CENT., FINE 4-FLAT building on 25th st., 50x135, income $75; value $8000. AMERICAN MORTGAGE CO., Metropolitan Bldg. 10845 or Bdwy. 2468.

WANTED—$7000—PAY 7 PER CENT.—AT WEST Adams and Portland—paved street—90x220—finely improved—218 O. T. JOHNSON BLDG. F3369. Wilshire 5862.

WANTED—SPLENDID LOAN OF $3500, ALMOST 5 acres at Culver City, on Washington blvd. west of movie studio. Valued at $9000. CARLIN G. SMITH, 503 Higgins Bldg. F5785.

WANTED—$2300, 3 YEARS, 7 PER CENT., I have 2 brand-new strictly modern bungalows; principals only. MRS. MILLER, 419 Security Bldg. A1629.

WANTED—HOLLYWOOD BUNGALOW LOAN OF $1500, 6 rooms, all down to date, choice location, 3 years, 7 per cent. S. L. ALDERMAN, 207 Grant Bldg.

WANTED—$11,000, 7; REPLACING BANK LOAN same amount; lot 150x150, well improved, Adams; income; worth $30,000. Very sound loan. CHAPPEL, 611 Lissner Bldg. 14471.

FOR SALE—PAYING GROCERY AND MARKET, doing $200 to $300 day, at 1220 W. SEVENTH. Can reduce stock if desired. No trade.

WANTED—$2300, FIRST MORTGAGE, ON HOLlywood bungalow, 7 rooms, owner's home. Value $5500. ENGEN, 224 Bradbury Bldg. F4636.

WANTED—TO BORROW $2250 AT 7 PER CENT. on splendid 7-room bungalow, southwest; value $5000. Principals only. BUCKLE, 405 Grant Bldg.

WANTED—$2100 AND $1600, 7. TWO BUNGAlows, worth double. No commission. HARTJE, 500 Germain Bldg. 19819.

WANTED—$1000 AT 8 PER CENT., ON 5 LOTS, southwest, worth $3250, improvements paid. 73839, WEST 3087.

WANTED—$100, WILL GIVE 24 PER CENT. INterest, good security, out of town. Call after 12, 115½ S. BROADWAY.

WANTED — $4500 AT 7½ PER CENT. ON choice income, corner property, southwest. 73839, WEST 3087.

WANTED—$18,000 FOR TERMS OF YEARS ON improved income, worth $50,000. VALENTINE, 1631 E. First st., Long Beach, Calif.

WANTED—$3500 ON IMPROVED LOT, CORNER, 50x160, income $80 per month. Value $6500. Address A, box 100, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—$1000 ON TRUST DEED. ADDRESS A, box 234, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—$500, 3 YEARS, 7 PER CENT., ON 5-room bungalow, trust deed. PHONE 73841.

STOCKS AND BONDS—

FOR SALE—ARIZONA EMPIRE, 25C; PASADENA Boy, make offer. CHARLES M. FRYE, Lobby Wilcox Bldg.

WANTED — OATMAN STOCKS. WE HANDLE them all. BLACK BROS., Brokers, Oatman, Ariz.

FOR SALE—
Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE — CASH REGISTER, GOLD FINISH, "Osborn," 5c to $10, A1 condition; cost $85; take $16.50, or will exchange. Hand truck, cost $12.50, only $3.50. $9 letter press, like new, $2.50. $35 wheel chair, $13.50. Large leatherette covered library table, fine office table, $7.50. Also roll-top and typewriter desk, golden oak, $18.50. Call at once. LEVY FURNITURE STORE, 822 S. Broadway, opposite Hamburger's.

FOR SALE—
CLASSIFIED REAL ESTATE ADVERTISEMENTS in the Sunday Times must be received before 8 p.m. Saturdays. Classified "Want Ads," etc., will be accepted until 11 p.m. Saturdays.

FOR SALE—$15; 30-GALLON GALVANIZED HOT water tank; year guarantee, $5.50; $26 gas range, guaranteed, delivered, connected, $8; hot water heater, heats water instantly, $5.50. 3628 S. VERMONT. West 4851.

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412-14 East Ninth st. Main 4479.
Corner Maple ave. and Ninth st.

FOR SALE—
"TAKE TIME BY THE FORELOCK."
Telephone your Sunday ads to The Times Friday or early Saturday. PICO 700; 10391.

FOR SALE—QUARTERED OAK ARMLESS SWIVEL office chair, 12x12 rug and equipment for Penny Arcade. Owner at COLYEAR'S, 4th and San Pedro, Whse., from 9 to 11 today.

FOR SALE—WE QUIT, MATHEWS BLUE LABEL paint, $1.75 gal.; shellac, $2; 1-ply roof paper, 95c; 2-ply, $1.25; 3-ply, $1.50; damaged brushes, 5c up. A few days only. 827 S. MAIN.

FOR SALE—DO YOU NEED A TENT? WE MAKE them, any size, any weight. DOWNIE BROS., Inc., successors to Wise & Downie, 644 S. San Pedro. Phone Bdwy. 2169, F4306.

FOR SALE—$40, 10-GUAGE DOUBLE-BARRELED Remington shotgun, good as new, for $20. Call at 1444 DANA ST., or phone STAFFORD HANNON, Home 73474.

FOR SALE — SAMPLE SERGE, SILK DRESSES, $3.50 to $8.50; over 100 sample ladies, gents' woolen suit patterns, $12 up. HARTJE, 224 S. Spring, room 500. Phone 19619.

FOR SALE — RESIDENCE HEATING FURNACE and large pipes, price $75; cannot be duplicated for $200. Phone West 43, or 24148. Address, 3116 S. VERMONT.

FOR SALE—1000 PRINTED BUSINESS CARDS, 250 billheads, letterheads, envelopes, contracts, etc., $1. PANAMA PRINTING PLANT, 212 Mercantile place.

FOR SALE—HEAT YOUR HOME FOR 3C PER hour; no soot, no smoke. Demonstration 932 S. Hill st. CAMPBELL FURNACE HEATING & STOVE REPAIRS, 1904 Main st. 23094.

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FOR SALE—OR RENT, LARGEST ASSORTMENT invalid wheel chairs; physician's hospital supplies. PROFESSIONAL SUPPLY CO., 415 W. 5th.

FOR SALE — SAFES, SOLE DEALERS HALL'S standard safes, new and used; terms or trade. SHEALY SAFE CO., 212 S. Hill.

FOR SALE—ADDING MACHINES, ALL MAKES. BUSINESS EQUIPMENT SALES CO., 736 S. Spring st., Pico 2461. 60602.

FOR SALE — "SCOTT'S ASPHALTUM ROOF Paints" for shingle and paper roofs, 50c gal. "SCOTT," paint mfgr., 1792 S. Main. 24695.

FOR SALE—UNCALLED FOR TAILOR MADE suits, sizes 28 to 42; ½ price. TOM WILLIAMS, 520 S. Main.

FOR SALE—CHEAP; 5000 FIRE BRICK, ALMOST new. KRESS HOUSE MOVING CO., 749 Maple ave.

FOR SALE—ROBINSON'S ELECTRIC BLANKET, full size; cures rheumatics; entirely safe. $20. WILSHIRE 5070.

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COLLECTION OF POSTAGE STAMPS IN 2 VOL. Scott's 19th Century Album (leather), fine for beginner. Also lot of packets, sets of stamps, etc. HOME 567180.

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Furniture.

FOR SALE—LIKE FINDING GOLD DOLLARS. Is just what you'll say when you see the wonderful bargains at LEVY'S BIG STORE.
FRIDAY A RECORD BREAKER.
9x12 beautiful Axminster Rug, very handsome and in Oriental design, practically brand-new, cost $55; to go at once, $18.95. Fine golden solid oak round Dining Table, pedestal, highly polished, with set of chairs; regular price on this set $45; our price for today, $22.50. This handsome $50 large, quartered golden oak China Cabinet, with mirrors, beauty, $21.75. Large Refrigerator, oak, enamel lined, 200-lb. ice capacity, with front doors, snap at $40, only $22.50. Oxidized steel Sanitary Couch and felt mattress, $14 outfit for $6.95. Nearly new Invalid's Wheel Chair, cane seat and back, reclining, price now $13.50. Fine 6-foot Extension Dining Table, white enamel, 4 chairs to match, $12.50.
Look at this fine Enameled Bed, springs and mattress complete, only $5.75.
You do yourself an injustice by not seeing us before you buy furniture and rugs.
LEVY FURNITURE STORE, 822 S. Broadway, opposite Hamburger's.

FOR SALE—
AUCTION
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 10 A.M.
1911 S. BURLINGTON AVE.
Regular weekly auction sale high-grade, medium and cheap furniture and furnishings, including 100 quarts home canned fruit and jelly, 50 cases sweet corn, some junk and dry goods and shoes and most everything else for home or apartment. Hot lunch at noon.
COL. C. F. CALHOUN, Auctioneer.
West 2171. 21940.

FOR SALE—AUCTION.
The complete good furnishings of 6 rooms, including Victrola and records, saturday, Feb. 2 at 10 a.m., 3766 La Salle ave., take West 29th st. car. Consisting of dressers, fumed oak library table, auto seat rockers, fine library lamp, electric fixtures, dining set, ladies' writing desk, iron beds, hair mattresses, springs, curtains, child's crib, Wilton and Brussels rugs, high chair, gas range, heaters, 68-piece set dishes, cooking utensils, etc. Owner leaving city. A. L. MOXLEY, Auctioneer, 22286; South 4526.

FOR SALE—SACRIFICING CONTENTS OF BEAUtiful 12-room home, furnishings practically new, rugs, mahogany, fumed oak pieces. Old ivory bedroom set. Overstuffed blue kidney davenport; leather rockers; glass top reed breakfast set; piano. Other pieces too numerous to mention. Selling by piece. 2850 ELLENDALE PLACE, corner 29th st. Phone West 5595.

FOR SALE—AT AUCTION, FRIDAY, FEB. 1, 1:30 p.m., elegant Jacobean library and dining room furniture, rockers, chairs, tables, fine Axminster rugs, drophead sewing machine, refrigerator, side oven, gas range, portieres and lace curtains, two beautiful fine bedding, bed linen, fine china, cutlery, pictures, etc., at 1336 CALUMET ST. Temple car. THEO. F. ZIMMER, Auctioneer.

FOR SALE—DUPLEX FIRELESS COOKER, FAMily size; white enamel, beautiful dining set, elegant White Rotary sewing machine, automatic Singer sewing machine, kitchen chairs and tables, china closet and buffet, ivory bedroom suite, mahogany library table and leather rocker, dressers, springs, rugs, mattresses, etc. Sacrifice. 822 S. BROADWAY, Ground Floor.

FOR SALE—CALL TODAY AND SATURDAY, large oriental and domestic rugs, hall carpet, desk, library table, dresser, oak and mahogany leather seat rockers, small breakfast set, brass bed, $35 silk floss mattress, portieres, pictures, gas and oil heaters, .22 Winchester rifle, etc. 320 W. 23RD ST. Phone 22010.

FOR SALE—$20 GAS RANGE, GUARANTEED, DElivered, connected, $8; 30-gallon range boiler, $5.50; $5 Perfection smokeless oil heater, $2; hot water heater, $5.50. STOVE, RANGE AND LAWN MOWER WORKS, 3620-28 S. Vermont. West 4851.

FOR SALE—FUMED OAK AND LEATHER DINing and living-room sets, Anglo-Persian and Axminster rugs, brass beds, mahogany, birdseye maple and oak bedrooms, gas ranges and other furniture. 1120 W. 27TH ST. West 4684, 23850.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN, 2 HANDSOMELY CARVED antique Chinese teakwood chairs, one Japanese arm chair, one beautiful round French table, prices low. Must move them. Not dealers. 1241 VINE ST. Telephone 577638.

FOR SALE — USED FURNITURE, GAS RANGES, rugs. Just enough to fit up several nice homes with little money. Free suburban delivery. Don't miss the bargains. SINGER'S STORE, 733 S. Main.

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FOR SALE—FINE RUGS, DINING SET, LIBRARY table. Stickley and reed rockers, double and single brass beds, dressers, gas range. 2021 MAGNOLIA. West Adams car.

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For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

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CHEAP—CHEAP
Flat and roll-top desks, bookcases, filing cabinets; several chairs, rugs, tables, all slightly used.
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BEST VALUES IN USED OFFICE FURNITURE. DESK EXCHANGE, 737 S. Main st. Main 8482.

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All Sorts.

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STEARNS KNIGHT 4-CYLINDER, 4-PASSENGER Chummy roadster and a high-grade small car, fully equipped and guaranteed.

Limousine 8-cylinder Stearns, 1917 model, an exceptional high-class proposition, at the right price.

$650 buys an electric brougham, a brand new car; 1917 model; Whipcord trimmings; give-away price, $650; terms.

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Stutz touring car, something special in value at $350.

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Premier 5-passenger, Cord tires and Keaton non-skids, plate glass in curtains, ready for the road, at $400.

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National roadster in excellent mechanical condition, plate glass in top, an exceptional buy.

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1918 Maxwell 5-passenger, also a roadster.
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1916 Lozier, 5-passenger, bargain for this one.
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We have plenty more to pick from, all on very low monthly payments. See us if you want a car. Largest dealers in the city.
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REAL BARGAINS.
1917 CADILLAC, 4-passenger.
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1918 BUICK ROADSTER—
Here is a car that has been driven less than 900 miles. Not a scratch on it, in perfect condition. It has fancy gray leather top, tire cover, same material. Wheels painted to match top. Clock, etc. W. L. MORROW, 628 S. Normandie. 56518.

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1918 FORD SEDAN.
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BUICK, VERY LATE 1917 ROADSTER, LIKE new throughout. You must see this beautiful little car to appreciate its value. Terms.
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PAIGE 5-PASSENGER, ELECTRIC LIGHTS, starter, excellent condition. Can't be beat for real service. $400 cash or terms. Owner, 67732; BDWY. 1660. 208 Delta Bldg.

FOR SALE—1916 LOCOMOBILE 6-38, 6-PASSENGER. Car in perfect condition every way. Two new Firestone tires. Owner going East, doesn't wish to store. Price $2500; no trade. A. F. THOMAS, St. Anthony Apts., Long Beach.

PACKARD BARGAIN, $375, 4-CYLINDER MOTOR, very husky, A1 running order, 7-passenger touring car. Might sell body $50 or motor $222. Chassis without motor $125. Fine old auto. Rebuilt 1914-15. HOME PHONE 567180.

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1917 FORD SPEEDSTER.
A fine looker and REALLY COMFORTABLE.
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1916 FORD ROADSTER, ORIGINAL FINISH LIKE new, over 1,000,000 motor number; in A1 mechanical condition. ATTWOOD AUTO SALES CO., 908 S. Olive.

FORD—1915 TOURING CAR, DEMOUNTABLE rims and other extras. Fully guaranteed, same as new car. Easy terms.
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Just like new, only run a short time; must leave and will sacrifice for cash. See MR. SMITH, 9th & Grand ave.

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PACKARD, 6-48, TOURING CAR, WIRE WHEELS, fully equipped; condition and appearance like new. Sacrifice. CORONADO GARAGE, 2000 W. Seventh st.

LATE MODEL HUDSON SEDAN, ORIGINAL FINish, cord tires, guaranteed A1 mechanical; bargain for cash. 742 S. OLIVE ST. F3484; Main 6416.

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(For Additional Liners See Page 7.)

THE CITY
AND ENVIRONS.

On Revelations.

Rev. Robert Renison will give another lecture in his series on "The Book of Revelations," in St. Paul's Parish House at 2:30 o'clock today.

To Kiwanis Club.

L. D. Wishard will speak on the subject of "Shall We Bequeath this War to Our Children?" at a meeting of the Kiwanis Club at the Clark, at noon today.

Relief Corps to Meet.

The Stanton Woman's Relief Corps unit of the Los Angeles Chapter of the Red Cross will hold an all-day meeting in Patriotic Hall, No. 1816 South Figueroa street, today.

For Onarga Folk.

Members of the Onarga (Ill.) Society of Southern California will hold a meeting Thursday, the 7th inst., in I.O.O.F. Hall, Broadway and American avenues, Long Beach. Dinner will be served at noon.

Safe in France.

Former Judge and Mrs. J. W. McKinley yesterday received a cablegram from their son, Lieut. Wilfred McKinley, stating that he has arrived safely in France. Lieut. McKinley is a graduate of the Presidio training school and is in the artillery branch of the service.

For the Jewish Sabbath.

The Jewish Sabbath begins at sundown tonight. At the 9 o'clock services this evening in Temple B'nai B'rith, Ninth and Hope streets, Rabbi Edgar F. Magnin will speak on "Harry Lauder's Religion." Tomorrow forenoon, at the 10:30 o'clock services, Dr. Sigmund Hechi will speak on "The Foundation of Government."

Historical Society Meeting.

The Historical Society of Southern California will meet in the Board of Education Rooms, No. 727-729 Security Building, next Tuesday, at 8 o'clock p.m. Addresses will be given on "The Neglected Maidens of Southern California," by Miss Olive LaClair, and "The Bagdad Railroad," by Mrs. Della T. Early. The meeting is open to the public.

To Review Books.

On the first and third Thursdays of every month at 5 o'clock in the library lecture-room, Miss Gertrude E. Darlow of the staff of this library will review current books of interest. This gives an opportunity for those interested to get in touch with the significant literature being produced in this critical year of the world's history.

Women Jurors Thank Judges.

Closing their terms of service as jurors in the Police Court, twenty-five women jurors yesterday adopted a resolution of appreciation of the consideration and courtesy shown them by the Police Court judges. The women's committee that drew up the resolution was composed of Mrs. Maude Crew Waters, Mrs. Sylvia T. Watson and Mrs. Carrie L. Clark.

Want Clerk and Carrier.

Secretary Tynan of the local Civil Service Board announces an examination on February 16, for clerk and carrier at the local postoffice. Only men are eligible. The age limit is 18 to 45 years. Applicants must be physically sound and not less than 5 feet, 4 inches in height, and weigh not less than 125 pounds without overcoat or hat. Blanks may be secured of Secretary Tynan in the Federal Building.

Cirgonian Club Officers.

The annual election of the Cirgonian Club was held at the regular weekly luncheon at the Clark Hotel yesterday. The following were chosen: President, J. A. Cattell; vice-president, J. G. Sprecher; second vice-president, F. L. Allen; secretary-treasurer, W. P. Musaus; directors, F. E. Woods, S. T. Sniffen, Clem S. Gilson, E. S. Stanley. The club is now about eight years old and has in its membership many of the prominent business and professional men of the city.

Defense Council to Meet.

The Los Angeles City Council of Defense will hold a meeting, to which the public is invited, tonight, at 8 o'clock, at the Food Auditorium, No. 212 West Second street. General war defense measures will be presented. Miss Catherine Jewel Evarts of New York will tell how the Hoovers "Hooverize" at home. There will be an exhibit of Southern California manufactures and a talk on patriotism in using local products.

Half Orphans Admitted.

The following half orphans have been admitted to the Los Angeles Orphans' Home since the date of last publication: Harry Swartout, Jr., age 5, father living; Clifford Gray, age 11, mother living; Laurel Gray, age 8, mother living; Marie Hamblin, age 5, mother living; Margaret Hamblin, age 3, mother living; Raymond Roller, age 5, mother living; Norma Grillo, age 11, father living; Melvina Grillo, age 9, father living; Lelah Lewellen, age 9, mother living.

For British Wounded.

An interesting entertainment and dance is planned for this afternoon, at the Hollywood Hotel, as a benefit for the British wounded. The funds will be sent direct to the war front in Europe, where they will be applied to the Allies' fund. The affair will be held under the auspices of the Hollywood British Workers. Mrs. Arthur Shirley, lyric soprano, and a pupil of Mme. Melba, will sing. Miss Margaret O'Brien will give readings. Miss Julianne Johnstone will sing, and Harry Crouch, formerly a comedian on the English stage, will make a characteristic contribution.

SPILLED SPUDS CAUSE SCRAMBLE

Venice Housewives Wildly Dash for Tubers that Roll on Street.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VENICE, Jan. 31.—Spuds spilled in the Speedway from an automobile truck that scattered the tubers for two blocks gave many Venice housewives an opportunity to stock up their larders today free of charge and without recourse to the corner grocery.

It was about an hour before luncheon when the big truck, laden with potatoes, chugged down the Speedway. The gate at the back of the vehicle opened when a bump at a crossing evidently broke or dislodged the fastening. Blissfully unaware of the catastrophe, the driver kept on his way. He apparently did not hear, or else disdained, the shouts of a well-meaning small boy who witnessed the accident. The latter hastened home and told his mother, who sent him back with a basket to gather up his share. In the meantime others had taken advantage of this fall of manna from a clear sky. In no time the narrow Speedway was thronged with men, women and children, armed with buckets, baskets and sacks, or merely trying to grab an armful of the big potatoes and for a time all motor traffic was blocked.

HOW TO AVOID BACKACHE AND NERVOUSNESS

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BUSINESS BREVITIES.
[Advertising.]

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DECEMBER, 1917.	Copies
December 1	116,250
December 2 (Sunday)	71,363
December 3	71,166
December 4	70,951
December 5	71,117
December 6	71,350
December 7	71,550
December 8 (Sunday)	117,850
December 9	71,420
December 10	71,454
December 11	71,528
December 12	71,328
December 13	71,580
December 14	71,741
December 15	74,300
December 16 (Sunday)	118,287
December 17	74,300
December 18	72,240
December 19	72,410
December 20	72,763
December 21	72,763
December 22	72,441
December 23 (Sunday)	118,466
December 24	72,241
December 25	70,878
December 26	72,061
December 27	72,758
December 28	72,278
December 29	72,507
December 30 (Sunday)	118,500
December 31	72,358

Average for every day of December..... 79,469
Sunday only, average for December..... 117,966
Average every day gain over December, 1916 11,223
Average Sunday only gain over December, 1916 12,085

BARRY CHANDLER,
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THE WEATHER.
[Official Report.]

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Jan. 31.—[Reported by Ford A. Carpenter, Meteorologist.] A 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.00; at 5 p.m., 30.00. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 49 deg. and 57 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 89 per cent.; 5 p.m., 37 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 3 miles; 5 p.m., southeast, velocity 8 miles. Highest temperature, 62 deg.; lowest, 46 deg. Rainfall for season, .95 of an inch; last season, 9.92 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—The distribution of pressure remains about the same as yesterday. The field of high barometer is in control over the greater part of the United States. Under its influence, the temperature remains low. Snow occurred over the greater part of the country, except in the south and southwest. Freezing weather extends to and includes Oregon and Washington, and frost temperatures were registered in portions of California. The southwestern area of low pressure caused considerable cloudiness in Southern California, preventing frost, except in exposed localities. The forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity for the ensuing thirty-six hours is fair, with frost in the morning.

ORCHARD REPORTS—Minimum and maximum temperatures from orchards reported to the Los Angeles office of the U. S. Weather Bureau yesterday are as follows:

Stations—	Max.	Min.
Bonita	60	40
Corona	57	27
Escondido	62	31
Mt. Wilson	57	27
Pasadena	59	35
Pomona	59	34
Redlands	58	28
Riverside	60	32
Santa Barbara	62	40
San Bernardino	61	31
San Fernando	62	36
Tustin	62	29

LOCAL FORECAST.

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair Friday; killing frosts in morning.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Weather forecast: San Francisco, Oakland and vicinity: Fair Friday; heavy frost in the morning; light northeasterly winds.

Southern California, Sacramento, Santa Clara and San Joaquin valleys: Fair Friday; heavy to killing frosts in the morning; light northeasterly winds.

ARIZONA FORECAST.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Forecast for Arizona: Generally fair Friday; colder in north portion; fair Saturday.

COLORADO RIVER.

YUMA (Ariz.) Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge height Colorado River, 14.5 feet.

VITAL RECORD.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday. Name and age given.

BARNES — WHITNEY. William L. Barnes, 32; Violet E. Whitney, 24.

BRANEN—BOST. William F. Branen, 48; Louise Bost, 52.

BRIERLEY—LEWIS. Ralph A. Brierley, 21; Marguerite A. Lewis, 20.

CLIFFORD—WALCOTT. Clyde S. Clifford, 24; Evelyn F. Walcott, 19.

COHN—FIELD. Max R. Cohn, 49; Florence Field, 44.

GOSO—SCHILLING. Sueo Goso, 28; Hazel Schilling, 19.

FLOWERS—FIER. Keith C. Flower, 32; Mamie C. Fier, 22.

GOFF—ENGEL. Patrick Goff, 28; Helen C. Engel.

HETLAND — AGNEW. Thomas W. Hetland, 32; Teresa E. Agnew, 18.

JOHNSTON—RIVERSIDE. John R. Johnston, 42; Irene G. Riverside, 40.

JOHNSTON—BAKE. John R. Johnston, 58; Nellie Bake, 51.

LAWLESS—WOODWARD. George W. Lawless, 35; Minnie Woodward, 28.

LINDSTROM—SPELLMAN. Vernie P. Lindstrom, 20; Carrie I. Spellman, 17.

LINK — MILLER. Harry F. Link, 25; Harriet N. Miller, 21.

MONTELEONE — LAIOSA. Vito Monteleone, 23; Virginia Laiosa, 18.

SHIELDS—MYERS. John R. Shield, 21; Hazel E. Myers, 17.

SLATER — PARKER. Harry Slater, 33; Helen R. Parker, 19.

WALTER—SEAMAN. Gotthold F. Walter, 32; Jennie Seaman, 24.

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

ALBENS, Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Daughter, 2719 West Washington street, January 27.

ALLI, Mr. and Mrs. Nicia, Daughter, 1623 Redwood street, January 28.

BARROWS, Mr. and Mrs. Frank, Daughter, 218 North Cummings street, January 28.

COBBS, Mr. and Mrs. Burton L. Boy, Los Angeles, Cal., January 30.

DUARTE, Mr. and Mrs. David L. Daughter, 1461 East Twentieth street, January 30.

FERGUSON, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Daughter, 4030 East Forty-first street, January 28.

HALLIFF, Mr. and Mrs. Harold G. Daughter, 2510 Trinity street, January 26.

HASTINGS, Mr. and Mrs. Erle H. Boy, 1711 North Vermont avenue, January 24.

HORRALF, Mr. and Mrs. George. Daughter, German Hospital, January 28.

HUMBORG, Mr. and Mrs. August Daughter, 138 West Avenue 34, January 28.

IPTS, Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Daughter, County Hospital, January 29.

JONES, Mr. and Mrs. Hutchins, Daughter, California Hospital, January 28.

KHAYRAT, Mr. and Mrs. Hadd, Daughter, Crocker Hospital, January 27.

LANE, Mr. and Mrs. Albert, Boy, Angelus Hospital, January 27.

LYON, Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Daughter, Clara Barton Hospital, January 30.

McNAMERA, Mr. and Mrs. Albert T. J. P., Daughter, 7013 Whittier drive, January 26.

MILLER, Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Daughter, 1139 East Twenty-eighth street, January 25.

PEARSON, Mr. and Mrs. Walter, Boy, County Hospital, January 30.

RATHBUN, Mr. and Mrs. Frank, Boy, California Hospital, January 29.

REYNOLDS, Mr. and Mrs. Charles I. Boy, 1302½ Channing street, January 30.

SOMNER, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert E. Boy, Clara Barton Hospital, January 29.

STARR, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley E. Boy, 1248 Fortuna street, January 24.

TODD, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Boy, Clara Barton Hospital, January 29.

WILLICK, Mr. and Mrs. Roy, Boy, 1962 East First street, January 25.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

BEALEY, Camille against Charles B.
BRADLEY, Louise M. against James W.
CULP, Estella R. against Lloyd E.
CURRAN, Mina L. against Edward F.
BURNE, Martha against Louis J.
JACOBS, Delphia against Ralph A.
JENNINGS, Ethel against Kenneth.
STORER, Earl M. against Grace G.
WADSWORTH, Louise F. against C. B.

DIVORCE DECREES GRANTED.

BURWORTH, Alice F. from B. N.
CLARKE, Mary A. from George W.
COOK, Delma A. from A. J.
DAVIS, Rose V. from R. L.
DEFEW, Mary from Albert.
FUTRIER, Katherine from J. M.
GOODING, Sarah A. from S. W.
IRVING, Louise M. from F. N.
LEACH, Belle H. from Harry.
MOORE, Melvia B. from May.
MORSE, O. D. from Pauline.
ROODES, Mary E. from A. S.
SCOTT, Louise T. from L. F.
TURNER, Helen S. from W. F.

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

Name and place of death—	Age.	Date.
ARTHUR, Samuel J., Los Angeles	83	Jan. 30
BARNETT, Leslie E., Los Angeles	1	Jan. 30
COX, Emma, Los Angeles	73	Jan. 24
CUNNINGHAM, William, Los Angeles	80	Jan. 26
GAMBLER, John, Los Angeles	59	Jan. 28
HORN, Marion F., Los Angeles	31	Jan. 31
HORNUNG, William, Los Angeles	79	Jan. 28
MARWELL, Irene G., Los Angeles	25	Jan. 29
PARKER, Orlie H., Los Angeles	45	Jan. 25
RHODEWALT, Julius, Los Angeles	4	Jan. 31
SUMMERS, James K., Los Angeles	84	Jan. 29
WILLIAMS, Victoria, Los Angeles	56	Jan. 29

DEATHS.
With Funeral Announcements.

APPLEGATE. At her residence, No. 1240 North Lake avenue, Pasadena, January 30, 1918, Miss Bessie Applegate, native of Oregon.
Funeral services will be held at the chapel of Turner & Stevens, No. 95 North Raymond avenue, Pasadena, Saturday, February 2, at 2 p.m.

ARTHUR. At No. 920 West Eighth, January 30, Samuel J. Arthur, aged 83 years, beloved husband of Mrs. Julia A. Arthur and father of J. F. Arthur, both of this city, and E. S. Arthur of Oakland, Cal.
Funeral services Saturday, February 2, at 2 p.m., from the funeral parlors of W. A. Brown, No. 1235 South Flower street.

BOURLAND. In this city, January 31, 1918, Arthur J. Bourland, aged 36 years, formerly of Paducah, Ky., beloved husband of Fannie F. Bourland, son of Sarah Nolen Bourland, and brother of William C., Jewell J. and Reva A. Bourland.
Funeral services will be held from the chapel of Booth & Bonton Co., No. 1147 South Flower street, at 2:30 p.m. Friday, February 1, 1918. (Paducah, Ky., papers please copy.)

BUTLER. John Butler, aged 50 years.
Funeral 2 p.m. Friday from the chapel of J. H. Biedenstein, No. 1618 South Main.

CASLER. At Gardena, January 30, Elizabeth A. Casler.
Funeral Friday, February 1, at First M. E. Church, Gardena, 2 p.m. Interment, Woodlawn Cemetery, Compton.

COOLEY. Funeral of Evelyn Lois, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Cooley, will be held from the chapel of Pierce Bros. & Co., No. 810 South Flower street, today at 2 p.m.

CUNNINGHAM. In this city, William T. Cunningham.
Remains at parlors of Gedeon & Martinez.

FOOTE. At No. 2259 West Pico street, January 30, 1918, Viola de Marla, wife of Hiram W. Foote, aged 63 years.
Funeral at the residence, Saturday at 10:30 a.m. Bruce Brothers, directors.

GASPARD. January 31, Mrs. Catherine A. Gaspard, aged 77 years, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. F. Altmann, No. 1305 Monterey road, South Pasadena.
Funeral announcement later. Turner, Stevens & Butt, directors.

DEATHS.
With Funeral Announcements.

GRIFFITH. January 30, Jennie, wife of D. [illegible], aged 42 years.
Remains at Bruce Brothers, 823 [illegible]

HASSIDATE. Beatrice Miles Hasbidate, [illegible] years, beloved sister of Miss S. J. [illegible], passed away on Thursday morning, at 10 [illegible]
Funeral services at chapel of Pierce & Co. at 1 p.m. Saturday, February 2. Friends invited.

HINSDALE. At No. 1206 East Forty-second [illegible], January 31, Mrs. Nellie Hinsdale, wife of W. A. Brown, funeral director.

JOHNSON. January 31, Luther M. Johnson, [illegible] 69 years, beloved husband of Winifred [illegible] and father of Mrs. Ruby Wining of [illegible] Idaho.
Funeral announcement later by [illegible] Company.

KELLER. At No. 5821 Hollywood boulevard, [illegible] A. Keller, aged 49 years.
Remains at parlors of W. M. Strother [illegible], Denver, Colo.

MANN. On January 31, 1918, beloved daughter of George and Louise Mann, and sister of Carl Yelle and Lucille Mann.
Funeral 2:30 p.m. Friday, at the [illegible] Crematory chapel. J. H. Biedenstein in charge.

McLAUGHLIN. At the family residence, [illegible] A. Kelker, aged 49 years, beloved husband of Mrs. Ella McLaughlin, father of Frederick [illegible] Laughlin of Gardena, aged 75 years.
The funeral service will be held in the chapel of Pierce Brothers, 803 Figueroa, today at 2 o'clock.

OSGOOD. At No. 618 Branch street, Highland Park, [illegible] 66 years.
Services at Pierce funeral chapel, [illegible] today, February 2, at 2 p.m. Interment at Forest Lawn Cemetery.

PULLEN. At No. 1217 Temple street, Jonathan [illegible] 76 years.
Funeral services from chapel of H. F. Bottscher & Son, No. 1200 South Grand avenue, Saturday, 2 p.m., under auspices of Grand Canon Lodge, No. 96, and Ancient Order U.A.M.W. Friends and members invited.

RUGG. At the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. Magee, No. 1000 South Van Ness avenue, January 30, 1918, Mrs. Lavinia Ladd Rugg, native and lifelong resident of Vermont.
Funeral services will be held from the chapel of J. F. Kyle & Co., corner Fourth and Broadway streets, Saturday, February 2, at 1:30 p.m. (Vermont papers please copy.)

RUFF. At her late residence, No. 4245 Beach street, January 30, Mrs. Sophia Ruff, beloved wife of the late G. A. Ruff, beloved mother of [illegible] George A., Harry W., Margaret [illegible] and Mrs. Ada C. Hoffman.
Funeral announcement later by Pierce Bros. Company.

SALKEY. At No. 342 Newland street, Glendale, aged 21 years, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Salkey and brother of Dorothy [illegible]
Services from Los Angeles Undertaking chapel, No. 2019 Pasadena avenue, Friday, February 1, 1918, at 2 p.m. Interment Home of Peace Cemetery. Hazel & Wood, directors. (St. Louis and Chicago papers copy.)

SAWYER. In San Diego, January 28, 1918, [illegible] Sawyer.
Funeral notice later.

SANLO. In this city, Nicholas Sanlo.
Remains at parlors of Gedeon & Martinez.

SIMONDS. At No. 841 West Twenty-third street, January 31, Mrs. Alice Simonds, aged 47 years, beloved wife of Mr. Frank Simonds and mother of Mrs. Lelia Simonds Carhart, and [illegible] Mrs. Frank S. Gentter, all of this city.
Funeral services Saturday, February 2, at 10 a.m., from the funeral parlors of J. F. Kyle & Co., corner Fourth and Broadway. No. 1587 South Flower street. Interment will be private.

STEARNS. At the home of her brother, Willard Light, No. 4826 South Van Ness avenue, January 30, Miss Jessie Stearns, daughter of the late Benton R. Stearns of Galena, Ill.
Funeral services, 2 p.m. Friday, February 1, at Pierce Bros. & Co.'s chapel, 1240 South Figueroa. Interment Rose Cross Chapter, No. 317, Order of the Eastern Star. Leave W. F. Smith G.A.R. Hall, No. 357 South Figueroa, at 2:15 p.m. (Galena papers please copy.)

STONE. At No. 901 West Seventy-eighth street, Berkeley, Cal., aged 68 years.
Services will be held in the chapel of Hale Cemetery, Saturday at 2 p.m. Miller, director.

STONEMYER. Catherine Stonemyer, aged [illegible] Remains at the Cross funeral chapel, [illegible] from her late home, No. 231 South Boyle avenue, Boyle Heights, Friday, at 10 a.m. Mass at St. Patrick's Church, 10:30 a.m. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

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Summary.

LEWIS IS DISCHARGED AND COX IS ELECTED.

Civil Service Board and Supervisors Move Fast in the County Auditor Row—Ousted Man Sticks.

FOR about twenty minutes last night Los Angeles county had no County Auditor—provided, of course, that the courts hold as legal certain actions that were taken. One County Auditor was discharged by the Civil Service Commission, and a few minutes thereafter, the Board of Supervisors, whose members were waiting for the final action of the commission, convened and elected a new County Auditor.

Walter A. Lewis was officially declared out of office. A. J. Cox was officially declared elected until such time as the Civil Service Commission shall certify to the Board of Supervisors a list of eligibles for the position, from which the board must make its selection

However, Mr. Lewis spent last night in the County Auditor's office, and proposes to be on hand when the time of office hours arrives this morning. His attorney, George L. Sanders, has appealed to the Court of Appeal from the decision of Superior Judge Taft, who, yesterday dissolved the temporary injunction restraining the Civil Service Commission from proceeding with the hearing of charges filed by Supervisor Woodley as a private citizen, against Mr. Lewis. Attorney Sanders contends that the proceedings of both the Civil Service Commission and the Board of Supervisors last night became simply a farce, in the face of the appeal which he had previously filed.

GETS BUSY.

Judge Taft dissolved the temporary injunction late yesterday afternoon. Immediately thereafter the Civil Service Commission began its hearing of the Woodley charges against Mr. Lewis. Mr. Lewis and his attorney were present at the beginning of the hearing, but soon withdrew. The hearing was continued last evening, and after it had been in progress for some time Attorney Sanders again appeared, but he made no attempt to take any part in the proceedings, and no defense was put in on behalf of his client.

FILES APPEAL.

Immediately after Judge Taft's ruling Attorney Sanders filed a petition in the Appellate Court for a writ of review. Judge Taft declared that he believes the county charter a valid instrument and that if the questions raised by Mr. Lewis are to be tested, they should be heard by a higher court. Mr. Lewis claims that there are flaws in the county charter that invalidate it.

The County Civil Service Commission heard numerous witnesses in support of the charges made by Supervisor Woodley of incompetency on the part of Mr. Lewis. C. L. Avery, of the State Board of Control, who investigated the office of the County Auditor before Mr. Lewis was suspended, testified that conditions were bad, and said that, in his opinion, the department requires a skilled accountant at its head and that Mr. Lewis does not have this knowledge.

The commission called before it numerous deputies from the County Auditor's office, including A. J. Cox, who had been temporarily appointed Auditor by the Board of Supervisors, and these witnesses were questioned regarding alleged irregularities in the office, especially in regard to the filing of reports, etc.

At the night session, R. V. Garwood, City Clerk of South Pasadena, testified as to conflicting statements in the County Auditor's report as to the moneys that had been collected for the city of South Pasadena, and of his calling the attention of Mr. Lewis to this situation, and Mr. Lewis replying that the re-

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Mrs. Virginia Monteleone.

TAKES POISON AND THEN A HUSBAND.

PARENTS SAY FORMER WAS ACCIDENTAL AND LATTER'S NEAR-CALAMITY.

Considerable mystery attaches to the sudden marriage yesterday of Miss Virginia Laicos, who outwitted her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Laicos of No. 272 North Avenue 22 by marrying Vito Monteleone and running away with him after the ceremony.

The bride was treated at the Receiving Hospital last Monday for self-administered poison, which her parents say was accidental. Her father last night denied that he had selected another husband for the girl, but admitted that he was very angry because of her elopement. Mr. Laicos reported the elopement to the police and asked that his daughter and her husband be brought back and that he be allowed to deal personally with the bridegroom. He threatens to have the marriage annulled, as the girl is under 18, he says.

According to the police version of the affair, the girl was taken to the Receiving Hospital at 9 o'clock Monday morning, suffering from the effects of carbolic acid, which she had swallowed at her home. She was given emergency treatment by Police Surgeon Zorb, and the effects of the poison were counteracted.

Tuesday the bride-to-be stayed at home, recovering, and yesterday afternoon told her mother that she was going out. She did not return. A license was issued by "Cupid" Sparks about 2 o'clock. The parents later learned the elopers had been married and taken a train south.

CIVIL WAR HERO IS BURIED WITH HONORS.

IRA A. CHAMPLIN PARTICIPATED IN THIRTY-SIX BATTLES IN FOUR YEARS.

Taps were sounded for Comrade Ira A. Champlin, veteran of the Soldiers' Home, whose remains were lowered to their last resting place in the Sawtelle Cemetery yesterday afternoon. Three volleys of musketry were fired in honor of his unique character who was the hero of thirty-six battles.

Champlin was an inmate of Andersonville prison and when transferred to Libby Prison made his escape by killing his guard and swimming a river, to rejoin the Union troops.

Champlin enlisted August 5, 1861, and was in active service until the end of the war. The funeral ceremony yesterday was impressive. The service was conducted by Rev. E. W. Mecum, acting chaplain of the Soldiers' Home.

Comrade Champlin left a widow, Mrs. Martha F. Champlin, of No. 226 Kiowa street, Westgate, and six children. His wife and a daughter, Mrs. E. Stark of Hollywood, were with him when the died. Fifteen grandchildren survive him.

Strange.

MYSTERY VEILS HOTEL TRAGEDY

Man Found Dead; Woman and Valuables Gone.

Supposed Victim Said to be Bakersfield Auto Man.

Autopsy Ordered to Decide Manner of Death.

Mystery surrounds the death of a man believed to be W. E. Ray of Bakersfield and San Diego, whose body, stripped of its clothing and valuables, was found in a room at the Wallton Hotel, No. 904 Wall street, last night.

The man, accompanied by a young woman, arrived at the hotel January 27 and registered under the names of "W. E. England and wife," the police say. In the next few days they were seen entering and leaving the hotel together, and it was not until the man's body was accidentally discovered last night that the woman's disappearance became known.

When found by Mrs. I. W. Lewis, leasee, of the hotel, the man's body was on the bed, beside a table bearing an empty whisky bottle and a partly-emptied glass of white liquid, together with a pill box marked asperin. The man's watch, stick pin and everything else of value were missing, with the exception of a few cents in change and a few letters addressed to W. E. Ray. A bank book showing large deposits in the Citizens' Savings and Trust Company, a check book with several checks and stubs, too, missing, were found.

Detectives Herman Cline and Sidney Hickok were assigned to the case. They made preparations for an autopsy today and began an all-night search for the woman, who is believed to be somewhere in Los Angeles.

The man and woman were last seen at 9 o'clock Wednesday night, the police learned. Three hours later, one of the guests in an adjoining apartment, heard them talking in their room. Mrs. Lewis discovered the body about 6 o'clock last night. What transpired in the intervening period and how long Ray had been dead when found, are the cardinal points the detectives hope to establish by the investigation.

That the woman who registered as Mrs. England has another apartment somewhere in the vicinity is the belief of the police. She was seen to enter the Wallton Hotel in a different suit of clothes from that in which she left the place on the day of their arrival there.

FROM BAKERSFIELD.

The man's supposed identity was established by receipts showing him to be a member of the Bakersfield lodge of the Eagles. N. C. Houze, secretary of the Bakersfield lodge, last night declared Mr. Ray was known to him, and furnished information that led to the identification. According to Mr. Houze, Mr. Ray came to Bakersfield about five months ago and was employed by the automobile tire house of Gilligan & Jones. He was drafted in the first contingent from Bakersfield, being transferred from Arizona, but owing to ill-health did not go with the first quota.

He is believed to have a wife and child in San Diego, where his home is, according to Mr. Houze. Bob Ray of Coalinga is a brother of the dead man, according to the police.

The mystery woman for whom the police began a widespread search last night, is described as being about 30 years old, 5 feet 2 inches, 160 pounds, dark complexion, apparently Spanish, spoke good English, and wore, on her arrival at the Hotel Wallton, a tailored dark dress and dark, three-cornered hat.

The man's body is at the Edwards, Gamash & Heath mortuary, where the inquest is to be held.

CAN'T "COME BACK."

Aged Civil War Veteran Receives Broken Shoulder Wrestling with Young Man.

William Murray, a veteran of the Civil War, is convinced that his fighting days are over. Yesterday, Mr. Murray, who is 72 years old, attempted to wrestle with a husky youth at No. 114 South Los Angeles street.

Mr. Murray went to the mat with the giant and the two struggled for a few seconds. The old soldier attempted to "bridge" out of a "half-nelson" and "crotch" hold, and broke his right shoulder in the attempt. He was taken to the Receiving Hospital, where the broken bone was set.

When Nurse Mason asked the veteran's occupation Murray answered, "I haven't any, my fighting days ended ten minutes ago."

Romance.

CAPT. OWEN BIRD WEDS SOUTHERN GIRL IN EAST.

WORD has been received by Dr. and Mrs. George R. Bird of No. 1702 South Bonnie Brae street, of the marriage of their son, Capt. Owen R. Bird, United States Transport Service, now stationed at Camp Jackson, Columbia, S. C., to Miss Laura Brown, daughter of the president of the Gulf and Island Railway of Mississippi, the ceremony taking place in Columbia, S. C., January 3.

The wedding was the outcome of a romance which started in Gulfport, Miss., last fall, and culminated when Capt. Bird was transferred to South Carolina, to take charge of the transport service at Camp Jackson.

Capt. Bird is considered one of the best all-around athletes ever developed on the Pacific Coast, and is also well known in business circles and in the newspaper field. After finishing his college work at Pomona College he entered the newspaper field. After three years of this he left to take charge of the Mercury, the official paper of the Los Angeles Athletic Club, later going into the automobile business.

When the Motor Reserve was first organized Mr. Bird applied for a commission and received a captaincy last fall. He was first sent to Fort Sam Houston, Texas, later to Nogales on the Mexican border, then to Camp Jackson, S. C., where he has entire charge of the transport service at the national cantonment there.

Armed Neutrality in Sawtelle's Annexation Fight.

A "pro" and the "antis" talk it over around the stove.

Those snapped in this A. B. Frost scene in the suburb's City Hall are, left to right, James C. Ten Eyck, Sawtelle's City Marshal; R. B. Jackson, Los Angeles motorcycle officer; Harmon Cook, the town's City Clerk and police magistrate, and V. Myers, Sawtelle's lone motorcycle officer.

Showdown Monday.

CRISIS APPROACHES FOR THE DUAL SAWTELLE GOVERNMENT.

A CRISIS will be reached Monday in the remarkable situation wherein Los Angeles is vainly striving to take possession of Sawtelle, which was annexed at a special election last fall, and Sawtelle is refusing to be annexed. On Monday evening the Los Angeles City Council will attend the regular meeting of the Sawtelle City Council and endeavor to force a showdown.

Sawtelle now has two Mayors, two Councils, two police forces and two fire departments, and neither governmental body will recognize the other. The city of Los Angeles has served notice on the Citizens' State Bank of Sawtelle to not honor any more warrants issued by the city of Sawtelle, but it was claimed yesterday that one or two warrants have been paid since notice was given.

Two police forces dodge in and out of the old City Hall at Sawtelle, each working independently, while Recorder Harmon Cook continues to try all of the police court cases that are brought into the court.

The unique state of affairs in Sawtelle has developed out of the protest that was filed after the annexation election last fall. The annexation proposition carried by three votes, and it was immediately protested by Charles Coe and others. Judge Hewitt of the Superior Court recently ruled that the election proceedings were regular and that Sawtelle is a part of Los Angeles. When Los Angeles officials went to Sawtelle a week ago yesterday to take over the city government they were politely treated but their demands were refused.

TO HOLD THE FORT.

City officials of Sawtelle say that they acted upon the advice of Attorney Paul Schenck in refusing to turn the government over to the city of Los Angeles. The annexation election validity question has been appealed to the Appellate Court, and the Sawtelle city government asserts that it will "hold the fort" until a definite decision is rendered.

In the meantime the city of Los Angeles has gone ahead as though it were in possession of the annexed city. A day and night police patrol, with motorcycle speed officers, has been established. Yesterday Los Angeles leased from City Engineer J. L. Kiler of Sawtelle, a building at No. 741 Santa Monica boulevard, which will be fitted up as a combination police station and fire hall.

Sawtelle's police force, consisting of Marshal James C. Ten Eyck and Motorcycle Officer Myers, continues to preserve peace in the community, while the members of the Los Angeles police force walk their beats and report to headquarters at regular intervals. The only arrest that has been made since the dispute arose was a peace-disturbance case, which was tried before Recorder Cook, who fined the prisoner $5.

Sentiment in Sawtelle appears to be about evenly divided over the annexation proposition, as may be gathered from the fact that the election carried by three votes. Those

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At Last.

CITY WILL OPEN BROADWAY NOW

Council Finally Agrees on Big Improvement.

Assessment Protests Denied in Caucus Vote.

Will Confirm it Today; Work not to be Delayed.

Broadway will be opened from Pico to Washington streets, without unnecessary delay. This was decided late yesterday by the Council at a caucus and announcement was made that a resolution will be adopted this morning denying the protests against the project and confirming the assessments.

Nearly all of yesterday the Councilmen listened to argumenis pro and con. The Council chamber was filled by persons vitally interested in the matter and both sides spoke earnestly. There seemed to be more enthusiasm among the proponents than those opposed to the project.

At the conclusion of the arguments it was decided to wait until 10:30 o'clock this morning to take definita action upon the matter, but when the Councilmen left the chamber they went to their caucus room, and an agreement was reached to adopt the resolution this morning. Mr. Mallard said, however, that he will oppose it. President Farmer took no part in the deliberations because he owns property in the assessment district. That he is heartily in favor of the opening he openly admitted.

FAVOR OPENING.

Among those who spoke eloquently in favor of the opening were Attorney George P. Adams, W. E. Cummings, John T. Newell, A. F. Southwick and E. R. Wright. Among the speakers opposed to the project were Arthur Wright, representing the Central and Pacific Improvement Company, and John F. Foley.

Arguments by opponents of the project to the effect that the assessments are unjust because they were levied three years ago and property values have decreased owing to war conditions were refuted by the proponents. The latter asserted that the values have not decreased and pointed out that if there are any property owners who cannot meet the assessments within the thirty-day period provided by law they can arrange to make the payments at a later date. City Attorney Stephens stated that bonds can be issued to cover the expenses.

Attorney Adams said the proposed improvement is one of the biggest and most important projects that has

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With a Six-shooter.

WOMAN BOMBARDS HER HUSBAND ON BROADWAY.

WHILE hundreds of pedestrians scampered to places of safety, Mrs. N. H. McClain terrorized the vicinity of Second street and Broadway, at 10:30 o'clock last night by bombarding her husband on the street with a revolver.

The woman, who appeared hysterical, was finally captured by Police Sergeant Carr and Officer Lane, after she had threatened to shoot anyone that approached her.

According to H. L. King, who resides at No. 323 West Second street, Mrs. McClain came up to her husband as he alighted from an automobile on Second street, and, drawing a revolver from the folds of her dress, she fired point blank at Mr. McClain. The latter, who is a heavily-built man, ran toward Broadway with his wife in hot pursuit. Directly in front of the entrance of the California Building she fired a second shot while hundreds of people, startled by the noise, fled in all directions to escape stray bullets.

Mr. McClain, unhit, fled out of range into Second street again, with the woman on his heels, brandishing her revolver. At this juncture police officers, supported by a few courageous citizens approached, and politely requested Mrs. McClain to cease firing.

"The first man who comes after me gets this," she cried, flourishing her revolver, a large six-shooter.

With this both officers and men beat a retreat. The woman sidled over to the curb, still facing the distant crowd when Sergt. Carr slipped around behind and pinioned her. She was taken to the station in the police automobile and locked up. A charge of attempt to kill may be placed against her today, according to the police.

At the station Mrs. McClain loudly accused her husband of friendliness with another woman, whose name she did not know. She refused to speak further concerning the shooting affair except to tell the officers that it was the first time in her life she handled a revolver and that "the old trigger was too hard and spoiled her aim."

Later on McClain himself was brought in and held by the police pending an investigation. According to Policewoman Robinson, who assisted in the arrests, Mrs. McClain has been receiving anonymous telephone messages that caused her to become suspicious of her mate.

SCHOOLS IN "RACE RIOT."

Colored Children and Whites Mix It; One Leg Broken; Police Called.

An assault by a colored schoolgirl on a white one at the Stanford-avenue school yesterday afternoon precipitated a small riot which ended in the calling of the police. More than 200 colored and white school children, the Caucasians from the Stanford-avenue school and the colored children from the Fourteenth-street school, were engaged in the battle.

The police say knives and clubs were freely used during the encounter. One of the colored boys, whose name the police withheld, was struck with a large stone and his left leg broken. Cuts and bruises made up the majority of the wounds suffered by the participants.

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Many Protests Follow Action of Federal Board.

California Concerns to Lose Ten Millions Yearly.

Fruit Canners Particularly Affected Here.

Strong protest by California producers and manufacturers will follow the 15 per cent. increase in railroad commodity rates, as announced on Wednesday by the Interstate Commerce Commission, according to F. P. Gregson, traffic manager of the Associated Jobbers of Los Angeles.

He said that the fruit canning industry in California would be particularly hard hit by the rate increase and that it now rests with Director-General McAdoo as to whether the new order would be put into effect or held in abeyance until present conditions, necessitated by war, are improved.

"The original decision," said Mr. Gregson, "was rendered last summer by the commerce board in the matter of inter-mountain rates, a question which has been pending for years.

"Following this decision, the railroad carriers submitted a tariff to meet the demands of the commission, which was presented last October and provided for an increase of from 15 cents to 50 cents per 100 pounds, affecting approximately 75 per cent. of the total tonnage flowing east of the Missouri River to the Atlantic seaboard and from there to the Pacific Coast terminals.

MEANS BIG LOSS.

"The 15 per cent. increase as ordered by the commission means a loss of $10,000,000, at least, to manufacturers at the Pacific Coast terminals, and will particularly affect the fruit canning people. It also means a material increase in rates to points inland within 100 miles of terminals. The old rate was 25 cents per 100 pounds as against 31 per 100 pounds, or $5 per ton, under the new decision.

"In my opinion the 15 per cent. rate may obtain until water transportation is resumed after the war. In a casual survey of the shipping field I believe that after the war, transportation by sea will be greatly intensified as compared with former times, and such a condition will be bound to affect the present railroad carrying rates.

ENDS LITIGATION.

"The decision of the Interstate Commerce Commission means an ending of thirty years litigation and will eventually mean the betterment of all Pacific Coast terminals. Shippers may suffer a little but ultimately they will reap the benefits of the increase.

"There will no doubt be some complaint but this is not a matter of petty jealousy between the manufacturer and the shipper but a question of what is right. This question is now up to Director-General McAdoo."

GERETY TRIAD POSTPONED.

The trial of E. A. Gerety, former Mayor of Venice, charged with soliciting a bribe, was postponed in Superior Judge McCormick's court yesterday, when a jury was about to be impaneled, until February 19. The change was made necessary by the professional engagements of Paul Schenck, attorney for Gerety.

AGREE ON ONE THING AT LAST.

But There Accord Ends, for Divorce Seekers Differ on Wedding Date.

Does "ladies first" apply to divorce suits? This is the question that Superior Judge Wood will have to decide Monday.

Edward and Irene Allen have lived apart for four years, the husband in Hollywood, the wife in Los Angeles. By a strange "freak" of agreement, they both decided to seek a divorce, and did so, simultaneously, or nearly so, Wednesday, by filing twin suits in the County Clerk's office. He claims desertion; she charges non-support.

But with the filing of the suits the strange "freak" in psychic agreement ends, for Mr. Allen says they were married January 17, 1912, while she sets the date as one month later. Perhaps, as Mr. Allen was married one month before his wife, Judge Wood may give his suit priority.

For Settlers.

SOUTHLAND IS UNIT IN DRIVE.

Seven Counties Line up for Publicity Campaign.

Arizona Governor Pledges His Co-operation.

No Desire to Take Advantage of the East.

That civic bodies and other organizations throughout Southern California are taking a keen interest in the $500,000 advertising campaign to bring people from the East here to settle permanently, was evidenced yesterday by the great number of inquiries, in the nature of letters and telephone calls, reaching members of the local publicity board.

Expressions of encouragement, with promises of financial support, were sent in from the seven counties embraced in the campaign. Many newspaper editors declared they would support the campaign with all the resources at their command.

Arizona also has taken more than a passing interest in the campaign if a letter from Gov. George W. P. Hunt, addressed to Secretary E. K. Hoak, of the publicity board, is a criterion. Gov. Hunt wrote that Arizona is working hand in hand with California toward the upbuilding of the Great Southwest, and that he is in favor of joint action, particularly at this time.

ADVERTISING HELPS.

Passenger Traffic Manager W. J. Black, of the Santa Fe system, in a letter to the board from Chicago, wrote that "the full-page advertisements recently inserted in leading Eastern dailies have been of great help in posting the public, and if they can be followed up with some smaller copy, it might pay."

"While no one can read the future," Mr. Black added, "I do not anticipate any very radical changes in through passenger service to the Coast. The Santa Fe will continue to do its best to handle properly this traffic, subject, of course, to the war needs of the government. Our plans for next summer contemplate the usual publicity for California, with special stress on our national parks, Yosemite, Sequoia and Gen. Grant. These gems of the Sierras are bound to be a big attraction for summer tourists, when taken in connection with the cool climate of the Pacific seashore."

The board also received yesterday a letter from E. R. Jones, vice-president of Wells-Fargo Express Company, in which he declared that Southern California is in a most fortunate position as compared with the rest of the United States.

OUR NATURAL GIFTS.

"My belief," he wrote, "after having come from Washington, is that Southern California will suffer less on account of curtailed train service than any other section of the country. Under these circumstances I am sure the people of Southern California will realize their own great advantages as well as the wonderful gifts of nature on which Southern California seems to have a particular corner.

"Having lived in Southern California and formed a sincere affection for the country and the people, makes me extremely desirous of rendering any assistance of which I am capable. If, at any time I can be of service to you or to the interests of Southern California, you may count upon me."

Members of the publicity board yesterday set forth that it is not the desire of the board to exploit the East at this time of stress in order to reap material advantages for Southern California.

NOT TO HURT THE EAST.

It was particularly enunciated that the campaign of advertising is a sincere desire on the part of people here, not simply to bring tourists to Southern California to escape the rigors of the East and the accompanying restrictions on food, fuel and transportation, but to induce people to come here and to come solid and substantial permanent residents.

"If Southern California, said a member of the board, "has ideal conditions at the present time from every standpoint, and the contrary prevails in the East, it is certainly not improper for us to advertise that fact. We want more population here. We can assuredly take care of all who desire to come. Why shouldn't we let the people back East know this by means of a well-organized advertising campaign?

"Eastern communities cannot escape the fact that perennial sunshine is part of our daily equipment, winter and summer alike, and we want everybody to know it."

BANK CLEARINGS SHOW A GAIN.

Less than Same Period in Last Year, but More than December.

Bank clearings in Los Angeles for the first month of 1918 totaled $132,574,837.10, an increase of $35,684,913 as compared to the month of January, 1916, but a loss of $1,669,696 as compared to the figures for January, 1917. Last month's clearings show a big gain over the previous month of December, this gain totaling well over $10,000,000. Local bankers feel more than satisfied with the showing made by the various financial concerns of the city during the month just closed and predict an unusually prosperous year for 1918.

To Open Broadway.

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been before the people in a long time. He said the opening of Broadway is demanded by the people at large, and that the improvement would be of benefit to everyone, as it would increase property values and stimulate business in the business district.

The proposed improvement will cost $727,000 exclusive of the actual work of construction. That is, the amount named is that designated for payment of damages awarded in condemnation proceedings.

Recently the Council tentatively agreed to abandon the proceedings in the event the property owners would reimburse the city for the money it has spent in preliminary surveys, etc. It was stated yesterday that this amounts to approximately $7000 and had not yet been raised.

Impetus was given the proposed improvement when the South Hill Street Improvement Association petitioned the Council to open Hill street to Santa Barbara avenue. Sixty-five per cent. of the abutting property owners requested the improvement and the Council instructed the City Attorney to prepare the ordinance of intention at once. It was signed yesterday that with Broadway and Hill streets both opened, the effect upon business in the business district would be unbounded.

PORT BUSINESS GROWS.

January Customs Figures Show Big Volume of Collections at Los Angeles.

The January figures furnished by Collector Elliott of the local customs district show a large volume of business transacted during the month. The imports amounted to $895,806; the exports to $1,848,977, and the collections to $20,255.26.

The collections for the month at the various ports were as follows:

Los Angeles, $19,188.95; San Diego, $1000; Calexico, $20; Tia Juana, $35.45; Campo, $8.87, and Andrade, $2.01.

DRIVER HELD AFTER AN AUTO ACCIDENT.

PRISONER RODE IN MACHINE THAT KILLED TWO MEN A YEAR AGO.

C. W. Pendleton, Jr., son of C. W. Pendleton, former collector of customs, and who rode in the death machine which killed two men October 8, 1916, on Vernon avenue, was detained by the police yesterday pending an investigation of a North Broadway automobile accident.

On the Receiving Hospital reports, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Ruiz of Saugus are detailed as victims of a collision caused by carelessness on the part of Mr. Pendleton. Mr. and Mrs. Ruiz and their year-old baby, were riding in their automobile yesterday morning at Broadway and Franklin street, when the Pendleton machine struck the other on the side.

The rancher and his family were taken to the Receiving Hospital for treatment. Doubt is expressed by police surgeons whether or not Mrs. Ruiz will see again with her right eye. The father and baby were but slightly cut and bruised.

At present, C. W. Pendleton, father of the man who yesterday figured in yesterday's accident, is defending a suit for $50,000 damages brought against him by W. W. Gates, one of the those who were injured in the accident two years ago. Clarence A. Tolle, the driver on that occasion was recently given four years' probation by Superior Judge Willis, on a charge of manslaughter. Pendleton, Jr., yesterday charged that Ruiz was responsible for his accident.

For Sale or Lease.

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LOS ANGELES TIMES CREDIT DEPARTMENT.

STUDENTS ARE URGED TO SAVE.

Conservation as Reality, not Fad, Theme of Addresses.

School Graduates Tola Needs of Nation During War.

Superintendent Shiels Pleads for Better Citizenship.

Conservation that means personal action, not a fad, but a serious reality, as a means for helping win the war, was the predominant theme at the graduating exercises of Hollywood High School last night, when forty students received formal recognition for finishing the four years' course of study.

Will C. Wood, commissioner of education for California, spoke on this theme, setting forth the need of conservation not only of material things, but of the highest traits of patriotic citizenship.

Miss Stella Leslie gave lessons in conservation that had a practical aspect, visible to the eye. She illustrated her talk on what can be accomplished in every household through means of the small savings, by means of charts and diagrams. These showed how the families of the United States use more sugar, meats, etc., than the families of Europe who have so closely studied economy. Then there was a demonstration table, on the stage beside the speaker, that had the food products themselves, and examples of what could be utilized from their fats, etc. For instance, Miss Leslie showed a cooked chicken, and then showed how much gingerbread could be made from the fat saved from the cooked fowl; she showed a piece of boiled beef, and what could be accomplished in cookery with the skimmings.

MORE CONSERVATION.

John Kinsey spoke on the conservation of man power in the industrial lines, and his address was equally as practical and telling. Each speaker pressed home the thought that all loyal citizens of this government must undertake conservation, not as a fad, but with serious purpose to aid in winning the war.

In presenting the graduating class, Dr. William Snyder, principal of the Hollywood High School, spoke of the conservation of character, health and response to the call for service. A high tribute was paid to the four students of this class who are now in service under the flag. The service flag was given the place of honor, and the girl graduates, instead of wearing the usual bouquets, carried small American flags and their graduating gowns were very simple dresses. The graduating class carried out the idea of conservation in their arrangements for this affair, and donated to the Red Cross $100 that would ordinarily have been spent on the evening's details. Lucius K. Chase, member of the Board of Education, presented the diplomas.

LINCOLN HIGH SCHOOL.

Twenty-eight young people received diplomas at the graduating exercises of Lincoln High School last night.

Ray Stiff presented the subject of "President Wilson, the World Adjuster," and Lucille McKee spoke on "Woman's Service in the War." Dr. Albert Shiels, superintendent of city schools, spoke on "The Relation of Vocational Education to Culture." Miss Ethel Percy Andrus, principal of the school, presented the graduating class, and the diplomas were awarded by Lynn Helm of the Board of Education and were accepted on behalf of the class by George Drake, Jr., the class president.

Dr. Shiels expressed many patriotic thoughts in the course of his address.

DR. SHIELS SPEAKS.

"Both ideas," he said, "emphasized the point of view that knowledge was for display rather than for use, and there came a most natural reaction, demanding that education be utilitarian.

"A wage earner does not fully aquit himself unless he gives to the State something more than he receives, and vocational education is important less because it trains men and women to support themselves than because in supporting themselves they can better support the State.

"The culture of a nation is measured perhaps more completely in terms of its pleasure than in its occupation, and in places where they are coarse and commonplace, this is an indication of the common life. Even in the industrial life, the influences of art have come to have not only artistic but monetary value. France will be saved, even after this exhausting war, because it has the most exquisitely applied art in its industries."

HELD TO ANSWER.

On the charge of setting fire to a house in East Eleventh street, in order to obtain insurance money on furniture, Mrs. Margaret Tree was held to answer in the Superior Court by Justice Palmer yesterday. Bail was fixed at $2500. In default Mrs. Tree was taken to the County Jail.

Excellent for Fish Days

These are the Very BEST

If you have been disappointed, then try "PIONEER" and you will at once appreciate their superiority. The formula used in preparing "Pioneer Minced Sea Clams" is known only within the family of the manufacturer, and it preserves in the can the delicious salt-sea flavor. "Pioneer Minced Sea Clams" are splendid, highly nourishing food, and a dainty morsel which can be served in dozens of ways.

Why Superior? One Can Will Convince You

Minced Clam Chowder

1 can of "Pioneer" Minced Sea Clams.
allow of pork or bacon minced.
¼ pints of potatoes sliced thin.
1 onion minced.
1 tablespoonful of butter.
1 cup of cream or rich milk.
1 rolled crackers.
Salt and pepper.

Fry the pork brown in iron pot. Add potatoes and onion and cover with just enough water to boil slowly. When potatoes are tender add the cream, crackers, butter, salt and pepper, and when this is heated through add the clams. Cook five minutes and move to back part of stove. Serve hot.

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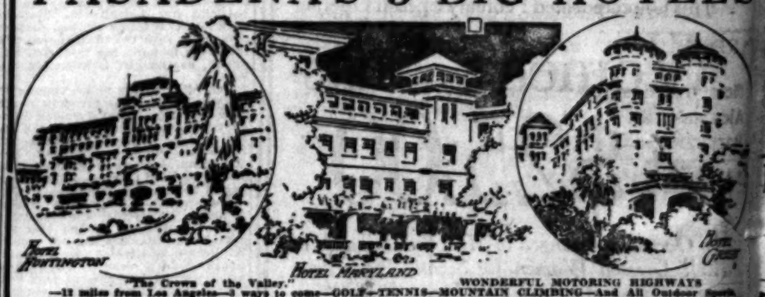

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These accounts bear interest at the rate of 3% per annum, upon the minimum monthly balance, credited monthly if balance at no time in the month falls below $500. On all deposits made or accounts opened before the 6th of the month, interest will be credited from date of deposit. Under ordinary circumstances these accounts may be checked against without notice or presentation of the pass book.

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BLACK JACK

DRAFT EVADERS ARE RELEASED ON BAIL.

Ferdinand and Emil J. Blum, the Santa Monica slackers, who fled to Ensenada and Mazatlan, Mex., in order to escape the draft, were released from the County Jail yesterday, their bond having been reduced from $2500 to $1800 by Judge Trippet.

Assistant United States District Attorney Lawson has written to the commandant at Camp Lewis, American Lake, to see if the Blum brothers will be accepted for service in the army, both having passed a physical examination. The officers there are quoted as being opposed to taking men who are convicted of or have pleaded guilty to a crime.

SHE'S SHY FIVE.

Justice Palmer yesterday fined Mrs. Amy Jerome, a moving-picture actress, $25, for speeding. Only $20 of the amount was paid and the court ordered her to pay the rest at once.

WOULD FACILITATE FREIGHT INSPECTION.

Collector of Customs Elliott has made a request of Director-General of Railroads McAdoo, for permission to allow customs guards on the international boundary to ride on trains passing through Mexican territory in order to facilitate the sealing and inspection of freight being diverted to relieve terminal congestion. It has been stated that freight shipments are being diverted from Calexico through a seventy-mile strip to speed up the trip Eastward.

WHAT YOU SHOULD EAT.

YOU face this question three times a day, every day of your life. If you are a woman, and the head of a home, you must decide it for the whole family. It is one of the most important questions in the world. The Times today offers you a free copy of a new book that will help you greatly in deciding what you or your family should eat. This book classifies the ninety commonest articles of food into five classes. If you eat food from each class every day, your diet is just about properly balanced. Such knowledge is worth having, you will agree.

And that is only one of the many things you can learn from this valuable free book. For this is the new War Cook Book, which should be in every American home.

It explains the food situation. It shows you how to serve your country and yourself at the same time. It contains more than a score of new recipes. It suggests sample war menus. It is a handbook for practical patriots. It is issued by the United States Food Administration.

The Times will send you a copy free. Simply send your name and address, with a 2-cent stamp for postage, to the Los Angeles Times' Information Bureau, Frederic J. Haskin, Director, Washington, D. C.

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Chapman-Donaldson Wedding.

An interesting wedding took place Wednesday evening when Miss Elizabeth Chapman and Lieut. Frank Donaldson of the Aviation Corps were married at the residence of the bride's uncle, C. W. Chapman of Beverly Hills. The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Dr. Charles Chapman of San Francisco. She wore a wedding gown of white satin and embroidered filet trimmed with ermine and her tulle veil was caught with orange blossoms. Her shower bouquet was fashioned from orchids and lilies of the valley.

Miss Isabelle Vallancourt, cousin of the bridegroom, was maid of honor and wore a stunning gown of rose tinted satin and gold lace with picture hat to match. She carried Killarney roses. The four bridesmaids were dressed in satin to carry out the rainbow motive. They were Misses Helen Welgand, Ruth Towland, Margaret Hauffman, and June Durfee.

Capt. W. H. Haughton (M.D.) of the Hospital Corps was best man and the ushers were Frank DePallin of Mont Belle, O., Dr. Charles Gillman of San Francisco, James Cochran and Lieut. Thomas Emerson of New York City. A number of Eastern friends arrived Tuesday. The bride is very popular in the younger social set of Los Angeles and of Cincinnati, where she graduated from the Mont Claire Academy. She has been the recipient of many social affairs during the past week.

Lieut. and Mrs. Donidson are leaving for Winnipeg, where they expect to reside as he is stationed there.

For Distinguished Guests.

In compliment to her cousins, Sir Daniel and Lady McMillan of Winnepeg and her sister, Mrs. Charles Ross of Toronto, Miss T. Cameron was hostess at a tea of fine appointments. Her reception suite was beautifully decorated with spring flowers. Forty guests came to meet the distinguished honorees.

For Army Men.

Capt. Walter Shaw, head of British recruiting in California and Arizona, entertained at tea at the Alexandria in honor of a group of army officers, including Lieut.-Col. Warren, principal medical officer in the United States of British-Canadian recruiting; Maj. Manchester, Capt. Cronyn, Capt. Morphy and Dr. Morrison. Lieut.-Col. Warren's wife was there with five prominent Los Angeles society women, among whom was Mrs. Albert E. Webb.

By Mrs. Richardson.

Mrs. David Richardson of West Adams street is giving a tea Saturday afternoon, to which a large number of friends have been invited to come and bring their knitting.

For Mme. Dupriez.

Mme. Leon Dupriez was guest of honor at a dinner at the Valley Hunt Club, at which William C. Baker was host. Covers marked places for Mme. Dupriez, Mr. and Mrs. Willoughby Rodman, Mrs. Katherine C. Watson, Miss Maude Thomas, Mrs. Maud Rinken Drummond and Mr. and Mrs. Frank F. Carpenter. Mme. Dupriez is now the house guest of Miss Thomas, principal of St. Catherine's School in West Adams street.

Tea Parties.

Mrs. Ralph Williams is entertaining a party of friends at tea, this afternoon, at the art exhibition for Belgian relief, being held at Fourth and Broadway. Others who will entertain there include Mrs. George Peck, who will have some friends from the French colony; Mrs. W. J. Richards, Mrs. W. J. Dodd and Mrs. Lynn Helm and Mrs. Scott Helm, who will have some friends from San Francisco. Mrs. Willoughby Rodman is chairman of the Belgian relief and the hostesses for the day will be Mrs. Sumner P. Hunt and Mrs. Charles Flint, both of the Ebell Club. The exhibition will last until next Tuesday.

Personals.

Baron Alfred de Ropp and daughter, Baroness Vera de Ropp plan to make an extended trip East next month. They expect to visit in New York and other cities of interest.

Mrs. Mortimer Priestly of Wisconsin is a guest of her mother, Mrs. J. D. MacFarland in Portland street, and will be here until late spring.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Maier and Mrs. Maier's mother, Mrs. Joseph Steigmaier, are spending a few days at the Maier ranch near Glendale.

Mrs. Catherine Hooker of San Francisco, who has been visiting friends in Los Angeles, has been the recipient of numerous social courtesies.

Mme. Jennie Agan; known as the Radium Queen, who has been visiting in New York and San Francisco, has returned to Los Angeles and has taken apartments near the home of her daughter, Mrs. Emmett Davis, formerly Marisca Aldrich. While in New York Mme. Agan was guest of honor at several smart luncheons, dinners and theater parties at which her niece, the wife of Judge David Rose, was hostess. Judge Rose formerly lived in Milwaukee where he was Mayor for four terms. In San Francisco Mme. Agan was guest of honor at an elaborate dinner party and later at tea when Mrs. R. S. Sandow, wife of a distinguished army surgeon, entertained. Mrs. I. C. Gloze entertained her also at her Fifth avenue home in New York.

VECSEI AND THE SYMPHONY CONCERT.

It is not generally known that the late Joseph Pulitzer was a most sincere, although unostentatious patron of the arts, and that one of his favorite proteges is Dedier Vecsei, the brilliant young pianist, who is to be the soloist at the Los Angeles Symphony concert this afternoon.

Appreciating the ambition of the young pianist, whom he met in New York, and foreseeing for him a brilliant career, Mr. Pulitzer, volunteered to give him such financial aid as would allow him leisure for study. Accordingly, Mr. Vecsei went to Vienna, where he became a pupil of the great Emil Sauer, the world-renowned maestro of the piano.

Three years later, Mr. Pulitzer, with his yacht and retinue of attendants, visited Monte Carlo. There he enjoyed the pleasure of witnessing one of his protege's greatest artistic triumphs. Vecsei was playing in the Concert Classique at Monte Carlo at the time, and it is quite interesting to note that the number which he played upon that occasion was the Liszt E Flat Major Concerto, which is to be his offering with the Symphony Orchestra, at today's concert.

The forthcoming concert promises another offering of stellar interest, and that is the Cesar Franck Symphony, which will be the orchestra's major number of the programme.

Following is the programme for the concert, in full:

Overture Solennelle, (Glazounow;) Symphony in D minor, lento, allegro non troppo, allegretto, allegro non troppo, (Cesar Franck;) Concerto No. 1 in E flat for piano and orchestra, allegro maestoso, quasi adagio, allegretto vivace, allegro animato, allegro marziale animato, (Liszt;) 'The first four movements are played without pause.) Desider Josef Vecsei, soloist, "Espana," (Chabrier.)

GRAUMAN'S OPENS AT EIGHT TONIGHT.

D. J. Grauman and Sid Grauman tonight join the ranks of Los Angeles' theatrical magnates in the formal opening of their new million-dollar theater at Third and Broadway.

The new structure, one of the handsomest adornments of Broadway's great white way, will be dedicated as a super-picture house in a programme which will be attended by leaders of the city's business and social life and scores of prominent members of the motion-picture colony.

William S. Hart's latest picture, "The Silent Man," an Artcraft production made under the supervision of Thomas H. Ince, will introduce Grauman's, and the star himself will be seen on the stage tonight. A dedication programme, beginning at 8 o'clock, has been arranged, in order that an opportunity may be given the guests to inspect the interior of the theater. This programme includes special features arranged by Ince and Hart, and musical numbers arranged by Rudolph G. Kopp, director of the thirty-piece symphony orchestra, and Jesse Crawford, organist. Mme. Lina Reggiani, former star of the La Scala Grand Opera Company, will be the soloist.

Hart will be shown in "The Silent Man" all next week, and beginning Monday, February 11, Grauman's will present a series of Paramount Artcraft productions, including the latest pictures of their stars, such as Douglas Fairbanks, Pauline Frederick, Marguerite Clark, Sessue Hayakawa, Charles Ray, Jack Pickford, Enid Bennett, Dorothy Dalton, Julian Eltinge, George Beban and Billy Burke.

Mack Sennett comedies, scenics and the Grauman Topical Weekly, for all of which specially arranged musical programmes will be given, complete the pictorial features.

Desider Vecsei,
Soloist with the Los Angeles Symphony Orchestra, which gives a concert today at Clune's Auditorium.

IN :: FIELDS :: OF :: HONOR.

Mae Marsh and Her Sister Marguerite.

They play this week at Quinn's Rialto
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FRIVOLS.

Hits and Bits.

DALE CAN'T SEE IT.

AUTHOR-CRITIC CAN'T ANSWER CRY OF "AUTHOR."

By Grace Kingsley.

The gods of laughter must have had a fine little snicker, last Monday night, when Alan Dale's play, "The Madonna of the Future," was produced at the Broadhurst Theater in New York, under the management of Oliver Morosco.

The upshot of the whole thing was that Alan Dale, author and critic, was not permitted to see the premiere of his own play, nor after all these years of work and waiting, to answer to the cry, however loud and persistent, of "Author!" Nor, so long as the play remains at the Broadhurst, will Mr. Dale be permitted to see it.

The reason that it will be impossible for Mr. Dale to see his own play is a simple one. George Broadhurst won't permit him to enter the house. Broadhurst has long nursed a grudge against Dale on account of the critic's roasting of certain of the Broadhurst plays.

But the funniest part is yet to come. Mr. Broadhurst, unaware of the fact the play was to be booked at his theater, due to the fact that he was out of town when the agent did the booking, but desiring to roast Mr. Dale's play, went to the out-of-town showing of the piece, and grilled it to a fare-ye-well. Then he returned to town, only to find it was booked at his own theater.

Merry Festival Note.

Today will be a banner day for 200 small orphans. The Kinema management will entertain the youngsters at an afternoon performance of "Stella Maris," and will distribute $100 worth of toys to the little ones.

But the most exciting part of the whole affair is that Mary Pickford will herself be present to help entertain, assisted by Jack Pickford and Mommer Pickford.

Due Warning Note.

While this column desires in every way to protect the Los Angeles Athletic Club, still the thirst of the public for news demands the announcement that "Wid" Gunning is in town and is stopping at the club.

"Wid" is probably the most famous motion picture critic in the country; and he has the courage of his convictions. Also he does not think that all actors are good actors. Hence his courage in coming to the home of picture actors.

Four-leaf Clover Item.

In all of Winchell Smith's plays the cast includes a mysterious "George Spelvin," and this unusually versatile player will again be introduced to Los Angeles audiences in "Turn to the Right," at the Mason next week. Mysterious as it may seem, Spelvin is also appearing in the eastern company of "Turn to the Right," in "The Boomerang," at the Tremont Theater, Boston, and in various stock presentations of "Brewster's Millions" throughout the country.

The explanation is that Smith applied the name to a minor character in his first play, "Brewster's Millions," and feeling that it may have been an element in the success of that piece he has clung to it ever since. In "Turn to the Right," it identifies one of the Yiddish actors who appears in the prologue for a few minutes.

Wrote Between Shots.

The palm for a calm and ever-on-the-job sense of humor must be accorded the author of "Johnny Get Your Gun," John Cort's New York Criterion Theater success, which comes to the Majestic next Monday. The farce was written in the trenches by Edmund Lawrence Burke, while in active service with the British army in France.

Society Note.

When Arthur Bernstein and Al Cooke did their thrilling stunts on a bicycle on the vaudeville stage, in 1905, they were good pals. Then they parted company and heard nothing of each other until this week, when Al Cooke of the team of Cooke and Hamilton, stood dumfounded in the office of the Hippodrome manager, who happened to be the same Arthur Bernstein. Naturally both bought.

Frenzied Finance Item.

Al Oakes, the Burbank resident manager, is up a tree, so to speak. Last night the treasurer of the theater made out a pay check for one of the coming headliners thusly: "Pay to Buckley's Animals, the sum of $1500" (camouflage.) Now Oakes is trying to teach the monkeys, cats, rats and dogs the art of writing, so that they may indorse the check properly.

First-line Trench Note.

It would appear that George Walsh, Fox star, might just as well go to war and be done with it. Not long ago, he was rather badly burned rescuing an actress of his company from the flames during the taking of a scene; and now the word reaches us that Walsh, not being used to the tricks and manners of a slippery sidewalk in cold weather, has fallen and broken three ribs.

It happened in the vicinity of Pelham, N. Y., and with him was his big St. Bernard dog, essaying one of his happy hop, skip and jumps, just for fun, Walsh fell and was unable to rise. He sent his dog for aid, and was taken to the hospital, where he will remain for a couple of weeks at least.

President Peddled to Fannie.

To Fannie Ward, the star of "Innocent," the Pathe picture which will be shown at Miller's Theater next week, went the distinction of having been sold $50,000 worth of Liberty Bonds by no less a personage than the President of the United States himself.

This is how it happened. Miss Ward consented to go to Washington on Liberty Bond Day to sell bonds on the White House lawn. On that day it rained torrents, and all hope of carrying out the original intentions of selling bonds out of doors had to be abandoned. Miss Ward, however, was invited to meet the President. He complimented her upon the assistance she was giving to the great cause and spoke so eloquently upon the necessity for every American buying the bonds as liberally as his or her means would permit, that Miss Ward said, "Mr. President, I wish that you personally would receive my subscription for $50,000 worth of bonds." That the President accepted goes without saying.

MUSICAL.

American

SUAVE BARITONE.

FAIR AUDIENCE GREETS MR. WERRENRATH AT TRINITY.

By Jeanne Redman.

Reinald (spelled variously by the careless press, Renald, Renault, Rennail, Reynold and Randall) Werrenrath (also spelled variously by the same careless press, Wernereth, Warrenrat, Warnerrah, Wennerath and Wedenall) demonstrated at Trinity Auditorium last evening that it is not necessary for America to draw on the talent of Europe in order to find vocal artistry of the highest order; for Mr. Werrenrath is an American in all save name, and his voice and musical capabilities are of a rare quality. The eastern newspapers, however, have apparently conspired to make this baritone's recognition as difficult as possible, for they consistently alter his name so that his personal friends not seldom fail to recognize Mr. Werrenrath as the original. So serious did this state of affairs become that Franklin P. Adams actually started a campaign to see that the singer got his just dues, and awarded him, I believe, a medal of some kind for being the chief proofroom eluder of the season. But Mr. Werrenrath has, as was to be expected, overcome whatever handicap his name might have imposed upon him, and he has already won a position of undeniable importance in his field.

Mr. Werrenrath's voice has that suave, sure instrumental quality which characterizes all great baritones, combining the clarity and resonance of the tenor with the strength and power of the basso.

The programme was admirably adapted to the genuinely American quality of the singer's voice and temperament. It was not a subtle programme, and was distinctly English-American, with the exception, which was not a particularly happy one, of Massenet's "Herodiade"—the "Vision Fugitive"—and two other French songs, which, by the way, won tremendous applause, and even repetition of the "Miroir," while the "Herodiade" brought forth "Drink to Me Only with Thine Eyes," very tastefully done, and with a healthy lack of sentimentality.

Werrenrath opened his programme with the old Italians—to warm up on, as all singers like to do, and he sang them with a precision and delicacy which gave evidence at once of his indubitable technique. A group of Chinese Mother Goose Rhymes, by Bainbridge Crist, were well received. They are Chinese melodies, harmonized by Crist, and altered, whether to their benefit or not is a question to fit Anglo-Saxon ears.

Two Kipling ballads, "Fuzzy-Wuzzy" and "Danny Deever," concluded the songs, and captured the fair audience which greeted Werrenrath on his first appearance in this city. Another programme by the baritone will be given at Trinity on Saturday afternoon, February 9.

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HANG THEM!

It is an immediate and pressing duty of every California community to actively and ceaselessly pursue every clew and make every effort to discover and bring to justice not only the immediate actors in, but the responsible authors of, every dynamite horror, every destruction of life or property that may be attributable to pro-German influences and inspired by pro-German cash. This should be done with that merciless severity that not only justice demands but the interest of the community requires. Mercy to such malefactors would be the greatest injustice to the living and the dead.

The crimes committed by the I.W.W.'s against munition and shipbuilding plants and against men engaged in government work was not confined to those who placed dynamite bombs and then ran away under shelter of the darkness. Those crimes were doubtless planned by German agents and paid for with German money.

The preparation of bombs with the machinery for exploding them required the services of a skillful mechanic, experienced in such work. The task of placing such bombs is commonly committed to men not acquainted with the other conspirators so that, if any member of one set of villains should be tempted by a reward and a promise of indemnity to turn State's evidence, he could not identify all of his fellow-murderers. Yet if any one of them is arrested the clues furnished by his arrest will probably entangle the feet of the others in the net prepared for their detection.

Criminals, whether amateurs or professionals, usually, even when cunning, are more or less ignorant, and the shyster lawyers they employ seem equally ignorant of the fact that dynamiting when committed in aid of an enemy in time of war is misprision of treason and that the men who buy the dynamite, the men who transport it and the men who make the clockwork bombs are equally guilty with those who place the bombs. The law makes principals of those who are accessories before the fact and all can be tried by court-martial where demurrers and motions to dismiss and other dilatory pleas will not be entertained and where the man who is convicted will face a firing squad or be suspended from a gallows without delay.

The crafty wretches who suggest these crimes and the desperate devils who execute them should be tried without delay and executed promptly. No waters of Nepenthe should flow over their deeds, and no pacifist lawyers should be suffered to launder their garments of scarlet into robes of white, but the criminals should be sent to join their father, the devil, with—to quote the language of the Postoffice Department with respect to the delivery of the mails—"with certainty, celerity and security."

MR. NIETZSCHE IN BAD.

A citizen, in a letter to The Times, says that the reason why Germany "let loose on the world all the cruel and destructive forces of modern barbarism" is because Nietzsche, with his denunciation of the Bible and the Christ, had been enshrined in the place of Luther and his advocacy of the Bible and its immortal principles. Perhaps the greatest warning ever given to a democracy is the result of the heartless and materialistic teachings of the old German philosophers. The trouble with Nietzsche's superman is that he is not a superman at all, but is just as weak and brutish as the mind that conceived him and the government that fostered him.

WISE BIRDS.

The annual bird census shows that Los Angeles leads the country in the number of birds that spend their winters in the various cities. The census shows 108 species in Los Angeles within an area fifteen miles in diameter. The feathered creatures never wait for an extra newspaper edition to describe to them the glories of this mild climate. They are wiser than men. They seem to know where to come. But they are like humans in this, that when they get here they never leave.

THE DRONES.

A chronic maligner of the government was recently sentenced to jail for the third time by a Los Angeles judge. The worst part of it is that decent, hard-working people are compelled to house and feed such vermin as that at a time when everyone is supposed to earn not only his own keep, but to produce something in excess.

COME WEST, YOUNG MAN.

A Boston artist has been searching in vain in the Hub City for a Venus to sit as a model for him. He has interviewed a hundred applicants, but declares that, while they all have almost perfect forms, none of them is quite the ideal. The trouble is that the artist is looking for feminine perfection in the wrong city.

LOYAL YOUNG PATRIOTS.

Castor oil is needed for the use of the airmen at high altitudes. And there isn't a kid in Los Angeles who is not willing to give his share of the stuff.

HELL HAVE TO.

The two cries going up from the awakening masses of Germany: "Bread" and "Peace." Will the Kaiser listen?

GERMANY—THE INCIPIENT REVOLUTION.

Democracy is asserting itself in the domains of the House of Hohenzollern. The pawns on the imperial chessboard are beginning to ask the reason. Von Hindenburg's forces are still holding the far-flung battle line of the Central Empires, but the industrial army behind the lines is rising in open revolt and CALLING FOR FOOD AND PEACE. For the first time in history mobs of workers, led by Socialists, have stained with their bleeding feet the spotless pavements of Unter den Linden; while from Hamburg Free State comes the report that a general uprising of the populace has taken place and that there is a growing demand on the part of the civil population for a return of the ancient liberties that were ravished to form the present German Empire. Austrian workers have been in revolt for more than two weeks and the trend of the press dispatches from all neutral sources in Europe are to the effect that the doom-hour of the regime of military despotism in Europe has struck.

Human thought is proving its supremacy over material force. The reign of men is slowly but irresistibly replaced by the reign of ideas. The masses are no longer willing to offer themselves as vicarious sacrifices to gratify the lust and pride of autocratic overlords. Millions of starving human beings are crying aloud for food while a war machine which they are compelled to support is turning Western Europe into a shambles. The Times has asserted repeatedly that THE BEGINNING OF THE END would be marked by a revolt of the industrial army behind the lines; there are present indications that the first stage of that revolt has arrived. Everywhere in Europe, with the possible exception of in France, the masses have grown war-weary and are clamoring for peace. Russia passed from the stage as a contender in the world war with the passing of the Czar. The working classes in Austria, Germany and Great Britain are all clamoring for peace; but they will not be content with/a peace negotiated at a concourse of kings. They demand that the workers of each nation shall have a voice in formulating terms. They are not asking for a peace on the basis of the status quo ante, but for a new peace founded on the fraternity of peoples and the democracy of nations.

President Wilson has asserted in each of his messages that the United States is engaging in no war of conquest; that this nation asks only for a peace with restitutions and guarantees that will prevent a recurrence of the bloody spectacle of the last three years. So long as a scion of Hohenzollern occupies a throne and possesses the autocratic power to declare war and conclude peace, just so long will the liberties of the world be menaced; for no formulas of words ever have or ever will limit the lust of a Hohenzollern. While this country does not assume to dictate the form of government for the German people, it does demand that the German masses shall have a voice both in the terms of peace and in the reformation of the government of the states that now form the German Empire.

There is a natural desire in America that a democratic government shall be established in every country of Europe. The records of the last hundred years prove conclusively that democracies are not belligerent, unless their liberties are assailed. Democracies never seek wars of conquest. There has never been even a suggestion of war between France and the United States. As the government of Great Britain has grown more democratic the menace of war between this country and Great Britain has steadily receded. The United States will not ask a democratization of the European empires as the price of peace; but the developments of the last hundred days have given rise to the hope that autocracy itself has bled to death on the morasses of Poland and the plains of Flanders.

The peace terms of the Central Empires, as expressed by Chancellor Von Hertling and Count Czernin, are not acceptable to the masses of Germany and Austria, much less to the Entente peoples. It was the publication of their autocratic terms that precipitated the present industrial revolt in Germany and Austria. Neither were the working classes of Great Britain thoroughly satisfied with the peace terms outlined by Premier Lloyd George. In the latter case, however, this is due in part to a misunderstanding. Lloyd George stated the terms which his government feels are equitable; but it is quite possible that he might be willing to recede on certain debatable points. The same may be said of the terms outlined by President Wilson, who was careful to use the word "must" in referring to the restoration of Belgium and Northern France and "should" in relating to certain other points concerning territory held by Germany and Austria and not in dispute before the war.

It is not impossible that the present industrial uprising in Europe will lead to a restatement of peace terms on the part of all the governments concerned. They may be the precursor of peace negotiations among the present warring nations. The people of the United States demand only a democratic peace with guarantees and restorations. If that is secured they will not be inclined to haggle over the details. But until such a peace is assured there must be no slowing of the wheels of industry. Our war preparations must not lag; for the surest way to secure a democratic peace is to be prepared to fight to the limit for it.

CRUELTY TO 'POSSUMS.

A Pomona correspondent tells how two strong men hunted down an escaped opossum and shot the little creature, describing the feat of the mighty nimrods as "an exciting, old-fashioned 'possum hunt." Great guns! In the old South the hunter takes his dogs and a bunch of torches and starts out at midnight in search of Mr. 'Possum. When the dogs finally tree the animal the hunter chops down the tree, the dogs grab their quarry (if it doesn't escape,) whereupon the hunter compels the dogs to turn the game loose and, picking the beast up by the tail, carries him home, postponing the execution until morning, thus giving the victim a chance to pray over his sins before meeting his doom. But shooting a 'possum in cold blood—such a thing was never heard of before!

Some day after the war somebody will write a comic opera about the meeting of the Bolsheviki and the Prussian military leaders. But this is not the time to do it.

"The Barrier."

THE BOLSHEVIK CONTAGION.

Like the cholera and the pestilence the Bolshevik contagion is spreading from Russia to other countries; but whether the social and political eruptions are due to direct contact and infection or to mere fear and phantasm is not so easy to say. For decades the world appears to have been expecting "something to happen." When the war broke out everybody said: "I told you so." And now that the Bolsheviki have broken out there are still many who are saying: "I told you so." As in the case of all epidemics it is well to recall the legend of cholera personified by a skeleton stalking into a polluted village. A philosopher engaged the monster in conversation and he is related to have said: "I killed but ten out of a hundred; fear took the rest."

It seems quite clear that the Bolshevik contagion is now epidemic in the dual monarchy called Austria-Hungary and also in Germany. There is a disposition in some quarters to suspect that the upheavals in Vienna and Berlin are mere camouflage; but there are better reasons to believe that the upheavals in Vienna and Berlin are real than that they are staged by Hindenburg and the Kaiser to prevail on the Entente Allies to slow down on their preparations for war.

Who laughs last laughs best. The Kaiser smiled all over himself when the Bolsheviki dethroned the Czar and divided all Russia into seven quarreling sects and states. The Bolsheviki seem now to have the laugh on the Kaiser and the Emperor Charles of Austria-Hungary. Let us suppose that the upheavals in Germany and Austria are real. Let us suppose that the Bolsheviki divide Germany and Austria-Hungary into as many quarreling states and principalities as there were in Europe when Napoleon had the Germans at his feet. How long, then, will it require for the Bolshevik movement to cross the Rhine into France? The history of the French revolution attests the adaptability of the French to riot and disorder and the French people have not changed much since the days of Robespierre and Jean Lambert Tallien. Let us suppose (but let us not hope) that the Bolsheviki go through France like a pestilence and divide France into as many quarreling sects and states as there were in France when the English were at war with France for decades and decades. Will the pestilence spend its force in France? Will it go into Spain, where the anarchists and Socialists are more numerous, especially at Barcelona, than they are in London, where the police have a habit of letting the anarchs spout to their hearts' content in order to keep tab on the gang? Will it get into Portugal, where revolts and rebellions are more numerous than they are in Mexico and Central America? And, by the way, will the English Channel and the Straits of Dover suffice to keep the Trotzky pestilence out of Great Britain and Ireland? The English Channel was not quite broad enough in the days of Pepys and his Diary to keep the Black Death out of London. Will it serve today as a barrier to the Bolshevik disorders? The rumblings and grumblings from the Mersey and the Clyde, the great roars and wails from Nottingham are something more, something more terrifying and menacing than the clatter of machinery engaged in the production of munitions of war. We have it from the British labor leaders themselves in a dispatch "passed by the censor" at London that "British labor is revolutionary."

And how about the Atlantic Ocean? Has it ever served to keep the Asiatic cholera and the bubonic plague out of Brooklyn, New York, Boston and Baltimore? Will the Bolshevik movement cross the Atlantic? Or will it be submarined, by accident or design, off the coast of Maine? Or is it already here? Are the I.W.W.'s Bolsheviki in disguise? Or has it come via "a Pacific port" on the Bolshevik ship that was recently reported at "Some port on the Pacific" with a cargo of gold to defend the I.W.W.'s now awaiting trial in Chicago?

And, after the Bolshevik movement, what?

"Apres moi le deluge?"

THE WAY IT WORKS OUT.

There was much elation among its supporters when the minimum wage law for women went into effect. While the new system may benefit some workers, there will have to be adjustments and changes before it is pronounced an unmixed good. There are many methods of obeying the law which actually bring disaster to working women, instead of the increased wages that were promised.

As an instance, a young girl, the only support of herself and her mother, incapacitated by age and illness, had worked for six months in a department store, giving satisfaction. But when the six months apprenticeship was ended, and she was scheduled for increased wages, she was dropped and a new and inexperienced girl took her place. And this girl was only one of many who were thus discharged, to begin over at apprentice wages in a new place—if they could find one.

The same scheme is applied in some of the laundries. When a woman has worked long enough to receive a rise according to the provisions of the law she is dismissed or put in another branch of work, thus keeping her at the minimum wage. Apparently this procedure will be entirely feasible so long as the supply of inexperienced labor holds out. The law is also avoided by putting women on short hours and decreasing their pay in proportion. Thus the new law is causing uncertainty and dissatisfaction for many women who find themselves hindered from advancement or kept down to low wages by its operation.

LUKE McLUKE SAYS:

A middle-aged widow always looks as if she had lost something. But it is different with a young widow.

Some men do not pay much attention to bills that they owe. But you should see them get busy when they get one that they do not owe.

A man will brag about everything else that his wife possesses. But you never hear him bragging about her store hair.

One reason why printing shops are kept busy is because every time some men get new jobs they get new cards printed.

A man likes to think of what a soft snap he would have if he could only reach the top of the ladder. But if he ever did, he would find that he would have to work twice as hard to keep his position at the top.

It is very true that people would rather believe the bad things they hear about other folks than believe the good things, isn't it? And so would you.—[Macon Telegraph.

RIPPLING RHYMES.

THIS FATEFUL YEAR.

This year should see the scrapping end, should hear the song of peace ascend. The Prussian hosts still face their foe, and though their warlike motions go, and would convince us, if they could, that they're in shape to saw much wood. But all their fighting men who made of war a pastime and a trade are dead, or shy of legs or lamps, or fenced in foreign prison camps. No longer does the Teuton find in war a solace to his mind; of such rude games he's had enough; he'd rather play at blind man's buff. The Prussian armies are composed of dotards who for years have dozed before their fires, so old and weak that walking made their hinges creak; and boys who have been drawn from schools to drill around with deadly tools. The hacks and has-beens of the land bear arms at Kaiser Bill's command. To face them go our stalwart sons, who'll climb the frames of war-worn Huns, and show the world how Yankee snap can draw new lines upon the map. When once our boys have got their stride in battle, on the other side, I don't see how Bill's weary crew can help but throw up hands—do you? WALT MASON.

THE BLIND.

A butterfly, with gold and purple wings,
Comes sailing through the silent summer air
And lights upon the garden's fairest rose.
Breathless, you stand and gaze. Surely, you muse,
This is no earth-born thing! — and then you think
It is the spirit of some precious child
You knew and loved and lost—and who, perhaps,
Grown weary of the joys of Paradise,
Has slipped away from heaven for awhile
To touch once more the fragrant flowers of earth.
Ah, but tonight when you sit by the fire,
Penning such thoughts, your little winged friend,
Its gleaming wings covered with early frost,
Will lie all cold and lifeless on the grass
Beneath your window—and you will not know!

You see the mocking bird upon the bough,
And listen as he pours upon the air
The golden notes of his sweet composition.
And yet, you know not—nor does he, as yet—
That toward the nest in which his gentle mate
Covers her birdlings with her soft warm wings,
A slimy creature creeps with glistening eyes.
Tonight your songster will not sleep for sighing;
Perchance tomorrow you may hear again
The same sweet song—but not the same sweet singer.

You see the painted beauty on the street—
No saint is she, and yet she must be happy,
For virtue never smiled more radiantly!
Ah, but you do not see her as she creeps,
At early morning, to her lonely room,
With aching heart for dear days that are gone!

You see the people pass, with eyes ashine
And cheeks all glowing—but you cannot see
Into their homes, nor yet into their hearts!

You pass the long day with your loving friend,
Laughing and singing—yet you never think
Of evening's sure approach when you must both
Whisper, good-night and farewell till tomorrow!

Oh, Thou who dwellest in the highest heavens,
Whose ways are good, though past our understanding,
We bow our hearts in humble gratitude
For this most blessed blindness!
JAMES M. WARNACK.

JAPAN'S TROOPS.

We often hear complaints, although not official, from various quarters of the Entente Powers, that Japan is very indifferent in her attitude towards the world war. They say that Japan sits tight in her comfortable place and declines to send her powerful army to Europe.

But before they utter these words they should pause and think for a moment. Was it not Japan who sided with the Entente Powers at the very start of the war? Suppose that Japan had remained out of the war till the time when Italy entered, or rather till the time when the United States joined hands with the Allies. Could Russia have withdrawn her army from Siberia? Could England have brought her oversea troops safely to Europe? Could the shipping of the Entente Powers have gone on undisturbed by the German raiders? Then what would the result have been? One stitch in time saves nine. Japan has, in fact, played a most important part in the war.

If we concede that there is need for our men, it is impossible to send them to Europe because of the present disorganized condition of transportation in Russia and Siberia.

Another thing: The Japanese army is not a volunteer force. It is conscripted to protect our country when she is actually threatened.

The policing of the Orient and the Pacific, help in supplying materials, and the participation of the navy are the utmost we can do at present.—[The Osaka Mainichi.

And there is another thing that we do not need in the conduct of the war activities, and it is known in Washington as "Crozierism."

WHEN PEACE COMES.

[By William Howad Taft, in the Philadelphia Public Ledger]

The examples that Russia and other countries are giving of the contrast between dreams and realizations of justice will furnish an admirable argument for those who, without being rigid in their adherence to what may be abuses of the present, will insist upon retaining the old landmarks which now measure the rights of individuals, essential to the pursuit of happiness of the entire community.

Members of organized labor who are looking forward to the exaction of higher and higher wages without regard to the merits do not see clearly the situation after the war. The great national burden of debt that we are assuming, the great expansion of nominal values that the financing of this war involves and the reaction and radical readjustment which peace must bring by a complete cutting off of the great demand for war supplies will produce a halt in business and a period of hard times. Such jolts bring people to a realization of fundamental economic truth. It makes them know the value of prudential virtues and the advantage to the country of just treatment of capital in order that the wage fund to be distributed may be as large as possible. It will show the interdependence between capital and labor. It will have a tendency to produce sanity in legislation and in political action.

Human nature is not going to be changed after the war. The love of comfort, the unwillingness to make sacrifices which have characterized our great prosperity, will be moderated, but economic laws dependent on the motive for gain will be in force, unaffected by the strain of war. There will then be neither the opportunity nor the disposition to reverse those laws and make water run up hill by legislation. More than this, the disaster to national interests in the war which a defection of labor would involve has given organized trades unions a greater power in this country than they have ever had. When peace comes, if intolerance growing out of present success characterizes the action of organized labor after the war, employers may be driven to an issue of justice. On this they can in the long run win.

DROLL STORIES.

Doubtful Compliment.

A clergyman was about to leave his church one evening, when he encountered an old lady examining the carving on the front.

Finding her desirous of seeing the beauties of the church, he volunteered to show her over, and the flustered old lady, much gratified at this unexpected offer of a personally-conducted tour, shyly accepted it.

By and by they came to a handsome tablet on the right of the pulpit. "This," explained the good man, "is a memorial tablet erected to the memory of the late vicar."

"There now. Ain't it beautiful?" exclaimed the admiring old lady, still flustered and anxious to please. "And I'm sure, sir, I 'ope we see one erected to you on the other side."—[London Tit Bits.

A Mental Error.

A well-known provincial paper in England makes itself responsible for the following story:

The tramcar was hopelessly overcrowded, and several people, who had achieved the upper deck, were transgressing all regulations by standing.

"Here, you," shouted the conductor with emphasis, "you can't stand on top."

"Well," said one literalist, smiling blandly as he peered down the steps, "we are standing, whether we can or not."

The girl answered nothing, but promptly pressed a button. The car jumped forward, and the literalist involuntarily took a seat on the floor.

"There," said the girl, apparently in complete good humor, quoting the barrister in a famous play, "you think you can, but you can't."—[Christian Science Monitor.

Thoughtful.

Mrs. Smith had just put her head outside the front door when Mrs. Jones espied her. "Where did you get that black eye?" inquired the latter.

"Oh, Bill just——"

"Yes; that husband of yours is a brute!"

"Oh, no, he ain't!" and the ill-used wife bridled up. "He's a bit hasty, I'll admit; but after he gave me this black eye he sat holding a cold frying pan on it for an hour to reduce the swelling. Not many husbands would do that, you know!"—[Chicago Herald.

Unfeeling.

The doctor and the lawyer had a difference one evening.

"I tell you," the lawyer later told a clergyman, "doctors are callous brutes, with not a spark of human feeling within them."

"Come, come," replied the clergyman, trying to calm his friend, "that's rather a sweeping statement, you know."

"Not a bit of it," declared the lawyer. "Why, when I was ill a few weeks ago and was suffering untold agonies I sent for the doctor. 'Doctor,' I moaned. 'I'm suffering the torments of hell.' 'What! Already!' was his unfeeling retort!"—[Unidentified.

A Wise Precaution.

The country solicitor had not a brain of the most intelligent order, and was somewhat absent-minded into the bargain, and by the time he arrived in London on important business he had clean forgotten the name of the client he had come to town to see. So he wired to his partner, "What is our client's name?"

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Under a recent law Congressman Osborne has an additional cadet appointment to Annapolis to make. Here is an opportunity for the election of another Admiral Farragut, who signaled from the crow's nest of his flagship in Mobile Bay, "Full ahead; to hell with the torpedoes!" And he went.

The fate of the railroads so far as their management after the war is concerned is now with Congress. There is a distinct move to make government ownership of these properties. Right now would be a good time for Justice of the United States Supreme Court Brandeis to confer with Secretary McAdoo where he could save a million dollars a year by the management of the lines.

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Raised Here.

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THE first war dogs for the United States Army, to be trained for Red Cross and other duties on the battlefield, were shipped yesterday by Mrs. Anita M. Baldwin, head of the Red Star Animal Relief Society, from her extensive kennels at Arcadia to Camp Kearny.

Upon the recommendation of Secretary of War Baker, who last year made the statement that the best breed of dogs for the work demanded by the exigencies of war, was a cross between the Old English sheep dog and the Airedale, Mrs. Baldwin immediately set out to cross the strains, and the first results of her patriotic enterprize, were yesterday sent to the camp.

All of the dogs are of the best strain and their performances and adaptability will be watched with great interest by all dog breeders and fanciers throughout the United States. At the present time there is but one other woman in the United States who is following the suggestion of Secretary Baker, but it is expected that if the trials of these dogs meet with government approval, it will give a decided impetus to dog breeding in this country.

The four dogs sent yesterday were puppies, 6 months old, but according to Mrs. Baldwin, they are at just the right age to learn the difficult lessons which will be taught them.

Three of the puppies were consigned to the "Grizzlies," California's crack regiment, and answer to the Greek names of Vulcan, Troil and Medusa, while the fourth, billed to the One Hundred and Forty-third Field Artillery, is called Thor.

Each of the war dogs was crated in a roomy traveling kennel, on the outside of which was the insignia of the Red Star society.

SUES SON FOR SUPPORT.

Aged Woman Asks Judge to Compel Man to Help Her After She Assisted Him.

Mrs. Mary M. Johnston, 72 years old, is a suitor in the courts to compel her son, Seward W. Johnston, to support her. The complaint filed yesterday says she is feeble and partially blind. The defendants named are her daughter-in-law, Annie Carl Johnston, and her own daughter, Etta Hazel.

Mr. Johnston, as a mechanic, is said to be earning good money. It is admitted that the daughter, Etta Hazel, is without means to support her mother.

It is further alleged that Mrs. Johnston was drugged July 6, last, and placed in the care of the Little Sisters of the Poor, where she was kept four months. She claims she had previously earned money and gave it to her son for him to buy property with. Since his marriage, in 1916, it is alleged that he transferred most of the property to his wife.

MAY DISMISS ARMS SMUGGLING CASE.

U. S. COMMISSIONER TELLS ARMY OFFICERS SHOWING MUST BE MADE.

When a request was made yesterday to United States Commissioner Hammack that the preliminary examination of Nicholas S. Zogg, Charles Draper and Norbert A. Myles, charged with conspiring to smuggle arms into Mexico, be postponed until some date after February 10, the commissioner stated to Capt. Samuel A. Gibson and Lieut. C. L. Berry, who made the application on behalf of the army Intelligence bureau, that a showing must be made or the case would be dismissed.

The officers were given until this morning to show that they had been diligent in prosecuting the case, and if the missing witness, Maj. J. D. Maher, could not be gotten here, some statement must be given the court as to what it is proposed to show by Maher if he were here.

Assistant United States District Attorney W. Fleet Palmer admitted he knew nothing about the testimony, if any, the officers had against the defendants. The matter had been in the hands of the army up to this time, he said.

The evidence of Maher is supposed to have references to talks he had with Zogg in regard to the alleged mysterious cache of arms located on an island in the Gulf of California.

CITY INSPECTOR REJECTS ROAD OIL.

City Oil Inspector Blackmar has rejected the road oil manufactured by several local concerns and their representatives complained to the Board of Public Works, yesterday. They said the oil meets the city's specifications and challenged Mr. Blackmar to disprove their statement.

As there are a number of streets now being improved with road oil and the work has been held up, the board determined to have the question settled as soon as possible. The City Engineer was instructed to make an investigation and report at his earliest convenience.

POSTPONE ACTION ON HOME GARDENS BODY.

The life of the Home Gardens Committee was extended a week yesterday when the Council refused to suspend the rules and adopt an ordinance repealing the original measure. Two members objected to the plan of doing away with the gardening project and action was held up for a week.

That a majority of the Councilmen are in favor of eliminating the department was clearly demonstrated and it is believed the repealing measure will be adopted.

Misfortune.

MARRIED WRONG MAN, GIRL SAYS

Blames Farewell Toast for Mixup in Husbands.

One She Loves is in Army; Now Asks Annulment.

Persistent Wooer Named as Defendant in Suit.

Mrs. Winifred Smith Strang, the unwilling bride of C. Virgil Strang, seeks to break the ties through a suit for annulment filed yesterday. The complaint, which was prepared by Attorney Victor T. Watkins, tells a story of a rejected admirer; liquor taken at a chum's house and a wedding ceremony while the plaintiff charges that she "was in a dazed stupefied condtion."

As Miss Smith, the plaintiff says, she was visiting her aunt in Ashland, Ore. From there she had arranged to go to Kansas City to visit her fiance, who was preparing to leave for an army cantonment. Though Mr. Strang, it is alleged, knew of her engagement to the young soldier, he presistently wooed her. She refused to listen to him. On the evening of January 14th, as the guest of a girl chum in Ashland, Mr. Strang again proposed and was again rejected. She told him she was preparing to go East to see her fiance, she says.

Perhaps intended as a farewell toast, Miss Smith was induced by Mr. Strang to drink liquor, and 2 o'clock the following morning the marriage ceremony was performed. She says she had never tasted liquor before, and did not know its effects. But at her chum's home, at that time she did not believe there was any harm in drinking a farewell glass.

Discovering that she was a bride, she says she returned at once to the home of her aunt. Then she came to Los Angeles, where her mother lives. She is 23 years of age.

SPANKED, GETS DIVORCE.

Wife of Soldier at American Lake Given Decree and Alimony.

Mrs. Ellen Louise Sharp wanted to go to the theater. Her husband, Lawrence Robert Sharp, now a soldier at American Lake, objected. When she persisted, she told Judge Wood yesterday in her divorce trial, Mr. Sharp threw her across his knee and spanked her. The couple separated three times, it was testified.

The decree was granted on the ground of desertion. Mr. Sharp was ordered to pay his wife $15 a month alimony for two years.

JURY FAILS TO AGREE.

Mrs. Ophelia B. Prentice was injured in an automobile collision with a machine driven by A. C. Raphael and she brought suit against him for $20,000 damages. When the case went to the jury in Judge Myers's court yesterday the jury could not agree as to who was responsible for the accident. The court dismissed the jury.

HUMANOGRAMS

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camouflage

WHEN YOU STEP
ON A BANANA SKIN
AND LAUGH,
THAT'S CAMOUFLAGE!
BECAUSE YOU'RE
THROTTLING A CURSE!
WHEN YOU SAY
YOU'RE DELIGHTED
TO MAKE THE ACQUAINTANCE OF SO-AND-SO
WHEN YOU HATE
THE SIGHT OF HIM,
THAT'S CAMOUFLAGE!
WHEN YOU COMPLIMENT
A HOSTESS ON THE COLOR
OF HER PINK LEMONADE
WHEN YOU HAD YOUR
TEETH ALL FIXED
FOR SOMETHING STRONGER,
THAT'S CAMOUFLAGE!
WHEN YOU FEEL LIKE
KILLING SOMEBODY
THAT HAS STEPPED ON
YOUR PET CORN
AND YOU TURN ABOUT
WITH A SWEET FACE,
THAT'S CAMOUFLAGE,
AND MIGHTY GOOD
CAMOUFLAGE, AT THAT!
AND MIGHTY COMMENDABLE!
WHEN THE SALESLADY
IS READY TO DROP
WITH WEARINESS
AND KEEPS ON A-SMILING
WHEN HER CUSTOMER SAYS:
"WELL, I WAS JUST LOOKING," THAT'S CAMOUFLAGE!
FOR SHE'S ALSO THROTTLING
A WHOPPER!
WHEN YOU PRAISE
YOUR WIFE'S HARD,
FLAT BISCUITS,
THAT'S CAMOUFLAGE
BECAUSE YOU PREFER
PEACE TO BATTLE!
WHEN YOU GET IN
LATE AT NIGHT AND TELL
YOUR WIFE THAT YOU WERE
AT A BUSINESS MEETING,
THAT'S CAMOUFLAGE!
THE FELLOWS AT THE CLUB
KNOW BETTER!
WHEN YOU GIVE YOUR WIFE
ONE DOLLAR AND YOU
KEEP NINE YOURSELF
FOR DRINKS,
THAT'S CAMOUFLAGE!
AND PRETTY NASTY
AT THAT!
AND YOU OUGHT
TO KNOW BETTER!
CAMOUFLAGE IS ALL RIGHT
IF USED JUDICIOUSLY,
BUT IT'S SLACKER STUFF
IF USED OTHERWISE!
YOURS TRULY,
THE PROFIT-SHARERS!
SELLING THE BEST
READY-TO-WEAR SUITS
AND OVERCOATS AND HATS
AND FURNISHINGS IN THE
WORLD! AND SELLING THEM
AT PROFIT-SHARING PRICES
ALL THE TIME! TRADE WITH
US AND SAVE MONEY!
PAY CASH AND PAY LESS!

Scott Bros
425-427 S. Broadway

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The Super-Malignant Germ

This is the germ that kills; that is so virile, so full of malignant power that it baffles all the skill of medical science. It is the bacillus that is fatal to human life in tuberculosis, pneumonia, diphtheria and all serious germ diseases.

For the principles of human life and germ life are about the same, and the drug has not yet been discovered that will destroy all kinds of germs and yet be harmless to the human body.

But you can kill the super-malignant germ and all other kinds of germs, before they enter the system, by using Lysol.

Make your home germ-proof the same way hospitals do: disinfect with Lysol. Then you will make a better fight against disease than it can make against you and yours.

Lysol Disinfectant

Use it in sinks, drains, cesspools, toilet and bath to prevent your home from being invaded by typhoid and other infections.

Use it in scrubbing water — soap alone will not kill malignant germs. Use it to disinfect dark, sunless corners — germs thrive in such places.

Remember there is but one true Lysol Disinfectant, and that is the product bottled, signed and sealed by Lehn & Fink. Buy only in original yellow packages. Three sizes: 25c, 50c, and $1.00. Sold everywhere. Complete directions with every bottle.

Lysol Toilet Soap
Contains Lysol, and therefore protects the skin from germ infection. It is refreshingly soothing and healing and helpful for improving the skin. Ask your dealer. If he has none, ask him to order it for you.

Lysol Shaving Cream
Contains Lysol, and kills germs on razor and shaving-brush (where germs abound), guards the tiny cuts from infection, and gives the antiseptic shave. If your dealer has none, ask him to order a supply for you.

"OUR SIGN IS OUR BOND"
Lehn & Fink
New York

Oldest Dry Goods Store in Los Angeles

Coulter Dry Goods Co.
FOUNDED — 1878
Seventh Street at Olive

Best in Dry Goods Since 1878

Now for a Three Day Sale of Fine Leather Goods

With leather goods advancing all the while, as nearly everyone knows, a sale of this sort will be doubly welcome to anyone who expects to need Traveling Bags, Suit Cases or Handbags and Purses within the next six months! Coulter's purchased these goods before the prices were raised; so that original markings are low:

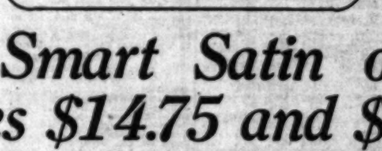
New Style Handbags
Values to $7.00 . . . . . $3.50
Brand-new arrivals in fine-grade pin seal, morocco or patent leather in every new shape that is fashionable for spring; some with inner purse and mirror; fancily lined; strap purse or bag shape.
Other Bags Specially Priced at $1.00, $2.00 and $2.50.

Leather Novelties at ½
Jewel boxes, memorandum books, glove boxes, manicure sets, shirt cases, fitted tourist cases, cigar holders, etc.

Thermos Bottles
Quarts, $3, $3.50, $4 to $5.
Pints, $2.25 to $3.50.
Carafes, $4 to $8.50.
Food Jars, pints, $3.50; quarts, $5.00; half pints, $2.50.
Drinking Cups, sets of two, $1.25; of four, $2.00; of six, $2.50.

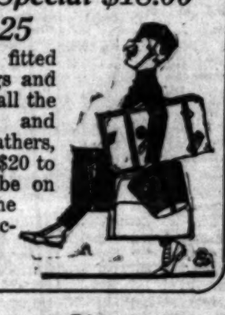
Carrying Cases
$3.00 double pints $2.45
$1.50 single pints $1.35
$3.25 double quarts $2.95
$2.50 single quarts $2.35

Motor Restaurants
Outfitted for four to six people:
Were — Now
$17.00 — $13.50
$24.00 — $19.50
$28.00 — $23.50
$32.00 — $26.50
$42.50 — $31.75



Sale of Traveling Bags
Bags in black or tan genuine cowhide, pigskin, walrus and seal sizes 16, 17 and 18-inch; all lined with leather or Karatol; pockets on the inside; full brass trimmings; protected corners; some bags hand-sewed; all having extra good, firm handles.
These Prices Hold Good, Also, on 16 to 26-Inch Suitcases.
$7.25, $7.50, $7.75 and $8 Bags or Cases $6.85
$8.50, $8.75, $9.00 and $9.50 Bags or Cases $7.95
$10, $10.50 and $11 Bags or Cases $9.45
$11.50, $12, $12.50 and $13 Bags or Cases $10.95
$13.50, $14.00, $14.50 and $15 Bags or Cases $12.85

Fitted Traveling Bags and Cases, Special $18.00 to $73.25
Handsomely fitted traveling bags and suit cases in all the best-wearing and best-liked leathers, now marked $20 to $82.50, will be on sale at the above reductions.
(Leather Goods; Main Floor)



24 Handbags
Usually $5.00 . . . . $3.45
Just twenty-four of these patent leather bags; they are extremely fashionable now.

New Leather Belts
In black patent leather, 35c to $1.25; in colored patent, 85c.
White kid belts, 50c to $1.25.
Suede belts, all shades, $1. All in sizes 30 to 40 inches.

Traveling Bags $5.00
Made of genuine leather cowhide, in black or tan; with inside pockets, leatherette lining; good locks, brass trimmings; values here up to $7.25.

Beaded Bags $13.95
Handsome affairs that sell in the usual way for $15, $16.50, $17.50 and $27.50 (just a few of these left.)

Velvet Bags Cut ½
Only ten in stock; but these ten are the very prettiest and best values we could obtain.

Matting Cases
The sizes that we usually sell at $1 and $1.25, on special sale for three days at 85c and $1.00.

Bags and Purses $1.95
Values here to $3.50; all new goods for a final clearance; every one guaranteed genuine leather.

Women's Smart Satin or Taffeta Dresses $14.75 and $18.75

Those two prices very much below what the dresses should, by reason of quality and desirability, sell for. You have your choice of satin or taffetas in navy, black and the lighter shades.

Models are wonderfully pretty in style and effects that become almost any woman—some garments are combinations of satin or taffeta with Georgette; some have the extremely popular wide collar of Georgette crepe, while others are trimmed with good laces.

Overdrape and plain line styles are to be had, and just to add interest—a few navy serge dresses.
(Garments; Third Floor)

Bewitching Hats Arrive Daily

From such style originators in New York and Paris as Vogue, Gerhardt, Jane Marsh, Rawak and a number of others.

Smart black satin and straw hats are here, with the newest innovations in lace trimmings. Many models reflect the decided military influence in their unique designs; the poke bonnet is again good; the beehive crown, with mushroom brim—the high side brim against the crown; the large sailor, with a slightly-rolling saucy brim; turbans in various colors, garnished with trimmings suited to the different materials and shapes—all are high in fashion's Spring favor.

The tailored hat of milan and lisere straw is being shown as a great favorite, and in contour shows greater smartness than in previous seasons.

Will you make a special visit to see these, and others just as lovely?
(Millinery; Third Floor)

Children's Dresses for You to Embroider

Unusual styles, combined with excellent materials and simplicity of design for embroidering, and moderate prices, all commend these dainty garments, just received for Spring selling. Sizes from six months to twelve years, priced from 50c to $4.50.

Of Interest to Knitters Please Read This Carefully!

The Spiral Sock, knit from beginning to end in one straight piece, yet fitting the foot perfectly, is the latest thing in sock-knitting.

The story goes that from the body of a dead soldier, one of these spiral socks was taken; their superiority was at once recognized, and they are

Now Being Made by the Eastern Red Cross Societies

In preference to any other kind. The knitting of this sock is taught in our classes every day, between 9:30 to 12 and 1:30 to 4:30.
(Art Needlework; Fourth Floor)

Special Sale Women's House Dresses, Nurses' Uniforms

Any woman who has ever bought house dresses knows how good the "Dix" and the "La Mode" dresses are; how well they fit, and how carefully they are made in every respect. So a sale of these two brands will certainly be of much interest today:

At $1.95 to $6.00
We shall feature these two brands of dresses in striped and figured percale; light and dark colors; ginghams in solid colors, stripes, checks and plaids; or white pique; long and short sleeved models.

Nurses' Uniforms $2.95
In white, either high or low neck styles.

Maids' Uniforms
Black, high or low neck; well made and finished in regulation fashion. Usual price of these, $3.50.
(House Dresses; Uniforms; Third Floor)

COULTER'S—Seventh Street at Olive — Seventh Street at Olive—COULTER'S

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Stocks and Bonds.

PRESIDENT'S WORDS TO FARMERS BOOMS MARKET.

Wall Street Trading Marked by Activity, Breadth and Strength.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Well-defined causes contributed to the unusual activity, breadth and strength of today's stock market, chief among which was the message of President Wilson to the western farmers' conference.

Other potent developments included the cumulative signs of various disturbances within the Central Empires and an advance in intermountain freight rates, coupled with the reported decision of the Senate's Railroad Committee to recommend restoration of the railroads to shareholders a year after the war.

Stocks were strong at the opening, but the market did not get into its stride until midday, when the inquiry for rails overshadowed all other features. Industrials next came forward, United States Steel leading with allied equipments, including the favorite war issues.

Prices were at highest levels in the feverishly active final hour, operations being enlivened by sensational advances in several high-priced specialties, notably General Motors, which recorded an extreme gain of 15 points, at 139½, General Electric, which rose 9⅝ points, to 140, and Texas Company, at a gross advance of 5½ points.

United States Steel was confidently absorbed in single lots of 1000 to 4000 shares, closing at 97⅞, the slightest fraction under its best, and a net gain of 4⅜. Pacific, coalers and minor western and southwestern issues featured the rails at gross gains of 2 to 5 points.

Sales aggregated 965,000 shares.

Bonds were active but irregular, internationals hardening perceptibly, while Liberty issues were heavy to weak. The 3½'s made a new minimum at 97.20, likewise the second 4's at 95.76, both rallying substantially later. The first 4's sold between 96.60 and 96.50. Total bond sales, par value, amounted to $6,375,000. Old United States issues were ⅛ to ⅝ per cent. higher on call.

COMPARISON OF SALES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Jan. 31.—Following is comparison of today's stock and bond sales:

COMPARISON OF BOND SALES.

Total sales, January 31, 1918	$6,381,000
Same day of week last year	6,552,000
From January 1 to date	108,828,000
Same period in 1917	132,220,000

COMPARISON OF STOCK SALES.

Total sales, January 31, 1918	915,900 shares
Same day of week last year	1,965,800 shares
From January 1 to date	12,841,300 shares
Same period in 1917	17,325,800 shares

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Jan. 31.—Foreign exchange:

	Demand or check.	Cable.
London	4.76 7-16	4.75 7-16
Paris	5.71½	5.69¾
Hongkong	72.25	72.75
Peking	110.50	110.75
Shanghai	103.50	103.75
Greece	19.40	19.45
Holland	43.75	44.00
Bombay	35.00	35.50
Calcutta	35.00	35.50
Italy	8.95¾	8.88½
Kobe	53.75	52.00
Yokohama	53.75	52.00
Manila	49.87½	50.00
Russia	13.00	13.25
Stockholm	33.25	33.75
Copenhagen	31.00	31.50
Christiania	32.12½	32.62½

STOCK QUOTATIONS IN NEW YORK.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Following are the closing prices, sales, and high and low quotations today:

Sales.		High.	Low.	Bid.	Asked.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

*Ex-dividend, 2 per cent.

FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES,
Los Angeles, Feb. 1, 1918.

Bank clearings yesterday were $4,112,543.33, a decrease of $678,297.30, as compared with the corresponding day last year.

	1918.	1917.	1916.
Monday	$4,991,085.57	$4,602,377.92	$3,081,505.44
Tuesday	4,174,818.49	4,764,747.38	3,557,782.17
Wed'day	4,053,177.66	4,798,655.27	5,150,096.56
Thursday	4,112,543.33	4,790,840.63	3,541,012.90

PRICES STRENGTHEN ON THE EXCHANGE.

LIBERTY LOAN ISSUES LEAD A GENERAL ADVANCE IN ALL LISTS.

The manner in which prices strengthened at the afternoon call of the Los Angeles Stock Exchange yesterday was very encouraging to the professional element. Values have been soft for the majority of active issues during the present week and a turn for the better was needed. Liberty Loan 3½s and 4s both advanced, the former closing at 97.00 and the latter at 96.00 to 96.50. Union oil moved up to 114.00, and the entire mining list, with the exception of Boss, was slightly higher. Industrials were quiet and practically the only stock in that group to change hands was Los Angeles Investment at .35.

Dispensing of its surplus earnings in the form of stock dividends is a question that is receiving widespread attention on the part of stockholders of the Union Oil Company. Considering its earning ability and the value of its properties, this big petroleum producer is capitalized for much less than its balance sheet warrants. With war taxes as heavy as they are, surplus accounts are practically impossible to carry. If the stockholders do not get the benefit of these large earnings of industrial companies, the government will. The present management of the Union Oil Company has always looked out for the best interests of the stockholders of the corporation, so for that reason, if no other, it is anticipated that the 10 per cent. stock dividend which is to be paid in March will not be the last one this year.

The drift on the 650-foot level of the Gold Ore mine is in almost 100 feet, according to advices received at that company's office in Los Angeles yesterday. Three full shifts are being employed to push this work forward, states one of the officials of the company, and it is estimated that the drift will enter the winze ore body within three weeks. This will be followed by the opening up of the property 150 feet deeper and shipments of ore to the leased Gold Road mill. The mill bins have a capacity of about 1200 tons and these will be filled before the plant starts its grind of 100 tons per day.

LOCAL CLOSING.

[Following were the closing prices and sales, as posted yesterday at the Stock Exchange, ground floor, I. W. Hellman Building.]

BANK LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Sav. & Com. Bank	$100.00	$105.00
Citizens' National Bank	225.00	232.00
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Farmers' & Merchants' Nat.	520.00	560.00
First National	650.00	[illegible]
Guaranty Tr. & Sav.	[illegible]	200.00
Home Sav. Bank	[illegible]	135.00
Hibernian Savings Bank	180.00	[illegible]
Kaspare Cohn C. & S. Bank	125.00	150.00
Merchants' National	[illegible]	270.00
Security Tr. & Sav. Bank	[illegible]	540.00
U. S. National Bank	150.00	[illegible]

BOND LIST. (With Accrued Interest.)

	Bid.	Asked.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

INDUSTRIAL LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
California Delta Farms	49.00	60.00
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

MINING LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Oatman District—		
Adams Mining Co.	$ .01½	$ .02¼
Arizona Tom Reed	.02	.04
Argo Mines	.02	.03
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

OIL LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	$ 49.00	
Associated Oil	58.12½	$ 58.75
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

SALES.

Morning session: 800 Boss Gold Mining at .67; 150 Gold Ore Mining at .20; 2087 L. A. Investment at .35; 3 $1000 Liberty Bonds 1st 3½s at 97; [illegible] Union Oil at 114.00; 12,000 United Northern at .02; 200 Yellow Pine at 1.05.

Afternoon session: 100 Boss Gold Mining at .67; [illegible] Union at 114.00.

Oil Stock Quotations.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Brookshire, 40 asked; Caribou, 1.25 bid, 1.65 asked; Claremont, 1.50 asked; Jade, 5 bid; Mascot, 1.20 asked; M. J. and M. and M. Con., 29 bid; Pacific States Petroleum, 20 asked; Palmer Union, 3 bid, 4 asked; Palmer Union preferred, 11 bid, 12 asked.

CLOSING PRICES ON NEW YORK CURB.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Closing quotations:

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

CLOSING PRICES ON CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Jan. 31.—Closing prices on the Chicago Stock Exchange:

	Close.
[illegible]	[illegible]

LISTED NEW YORK BOND QUOTATIONS.

[Furnished by Stephens & Co., second floor Merchants' National Bank Building, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Following are closing quotations on active bonds today:

	Close.
Adams Express C. T. 4s, 1948	64
Alaska Conv. Deb. 6s A, 1925	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]

RANGE OF STOCK PRICES IN BOSTON.

[Furnished by A. H. Crary & Co., No. 119 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

BOSTON, Jan. 31.—Closing quotations:

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Sugar Quotations.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Raw sugar steady; centrifugal, 6.005; molasses, nominal. Refined steady; fine granulated, 7.45.

California Dried Fruit.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Evaporated apples nominal. Prunes firm. Apricots and peaches quiet. Raisins scarce.

CORN PRICES EASIER, DUE TO MORE CARS.

FREE GOVERNMENT BUYING SENDS OATS TO NEW HIGH MARK.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—Better conditions in regard to the supply of cars on western roads helped today to ease the corn market. Prices closed steady at ⅛@¾ to ¼ net decline, with March 1.26¾ and May 1.25¼. Oats finished ⅝@1½ down and provisions unchanged to 50 cents lower.

Leaders in the corn trade put themselves on record as saying that improvement in the car situation was becoming plainly apparent.

Gossip that the government was buying freely at interior points carried the oats market here up to new high-price levels for the season, but commission-house selling on the bulge led to a sharp reaction.

Some of this selling was ascribed to bearish sentiment resulting from President Wilson's letter to the farm conference at Urbana, Ill.

Realizing sales on the part of recent buyers weakened provisions.

RANGE OF PRICES.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Bid.	Asked.
Corn—					
May	1.26⅛	1.25⅜	1.25		1.25¼
March	1.27	1.27	1.26⅝	1.26¾	
Oats—					
January	.85	.85⅛	.83¼		.83¼
May	.81⅛	.81⅝	.80	.80⅝	
March	.84⅛	.84⅞	.83	.83⅝	
Pork—					
January	47.60	47.65	47.20	47.20	
May	46.90	46.90	46.60	46.57	
Lard—					
January	25.45	25.95	25.45	25.95	
May	25.50	25.53	25.35		25.40
Ribs—					
January	24.07	24.07	23.90	23.95	
May	24.65	24.70	24.55		24.60

Cash Sales—Corn, No. 2 yellow, nominal; No. 3 yellow, 1.78; No. 4 yellow, 1.63@1.65. Rye, No. 2, 2.12. Barley, 1.60@1.75. Timothy, 5.00@8.25. Clover, 21.00@30.00.

Close—Corn, March, 1.26¾; May, 1.25¼. Oats, March, 83⅝; May, 80⅝. Pork, January, 47.20; May, 46.57. Lard, January, 25.95; May, 25.40. Ribs, January, 23.95; May, 24.60.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Barley unquoted.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Corn, spot, firmer; kiln-dried, No. 3 yellow, 1.85⅝, and No. 3 mixed, 1.85⅝, cost and freight New York prompt shipment; Argentine, 2.00, sales f.o.b. cars. Oats, spot, firm; natural, 1.00@1.02. Hops, Pacific Coast, 1917, 21@24; 1916, 14@17.

PRICES ON LOCAL GRAIN EXCHANGE.

	Bid.	Asked.
Utah No. 1 White oats	$ 3.20	
California feed oats	3.00	
Eastern white oats	3.25	
Utah No. 1 rye	3.40	
No. 1 bright feed barley	2.85	
No. 1 dark feed barley	2.80	
No. 2 yellow corn, bulk	[illegible]	
No. 3 yellow corn, bulk	[illegible]	
No. 2 mixed corn, bulk	[illegible]	
No. 2 white corn, bulk	3.75	
Sample Egyptian corn	3.50	
Milo maize, local	3.25	
Utah-Idaho white bran	40.00	
Utah-Idaho mixed bran	40.00	
Utah-Idaho red bran	40.00	
Local white bran	39.00	

FUTURES—(100-Ton Lots.)

	Bid.	Asked.
Barley, February	$2.90	
Milo maize, February	3.21½	
March	3.23½	

STOCKS AND BONDS IN SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Following are today's quotations and sales on the San Francisco Stock and Bond Exchange:

	Bid.	Asked.
Liberty Loan 3½s		98¼
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

SALES.

Morning session — 1000 Liberty 3½s at 97; 15,000 Liberty 4s at 95¾; 10,000 Great Western Power 5s at 71; 1000 Pacific Electric Ry. 5s at 78; 2000 Southern Pacific Ref. 4s at 82; [illegible]

Afternoon session—3000 Liberty 3½s at 97¼; 5000 do. at 97¾; 3000 do. at 97¾; 1000 Liberty 4s at 96; 3000 do. at 95⅝; 100 do. Con. at 96%; 2000 Pacific Gas & Electric 5s at 79¼; 10,000 Western Pacific Ry. 5s at 60; 90 Spring Valley Water at 57; 50 Union Sugar at 37½; 300 Pacific Gas & Electric common at 38¾; 300 General Petroleum common at 54; 60 Cal. Packing common at 38½.

NEVADA MINE STOCKS: SAN FRANCISCO LIST.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Following are sales and closing quotations:

Sales—	Goldfield District—	Bid.	Asked.
3,000	Atlanta	.09	.10
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Turpentine and Rosin.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAVANNAH (Ga.) Jan. 31.—Turpentine firm, 44; sales, 71; receipts, 34; shipments, 125; stock, 28,077. Rosin firm; sales, 274; receipts, 382; shipments, 1774; stock, 89,144. Quote: B, D, E, F, G, H, I, 6.10; K, 6.50; M, 6.90; N, 7.30; WG, 7.45; WW, 7.50.

MINING QUOTATIONS IN SALT LAKE CITY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SALT LAKE, Jan. 31.—Closing quotations on local exchange today:

	Close.		Close.
Alta Mich.	.10	Mich. Utah	.15
Antelope Star	.02	O. K. Silver	.05
Alta Con.	.26	Orig. Bannack	.08
Bullion	.01½	Ohio Copper	.94
Columbus Rexall	.93	Plutus	.30
Colorado Con.	.10	Rico Argentine	.05
Cardiff	4.00	Reed's Peak	.02½
Daly	2.60	Rico Wellington	.20
Dragon	.23	Sells	.11
Empire Mines	.30	S. K. Coal	2.70
Empire Copper	1.40	S. K. Con.	2.00
Eureka Mines	.10	Sioux Con.	.06
Emma Con.	.35	South Hecla	.78
Grand Central	.66	Tintic Standard	1.40
Great Western	.10	Tintic Drain T.	1.00
Howell	.16½	Wilbert	.13⅛
Iron Blossom	.52	West Toledo	.10½
Iron King	.18	Walker Mining	1.85
Judge M. & S.	7.00		

NEW YORK OIL STOCK QUOTATIONS.

[Furnished by A. H. Crary & Co., No. 119 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Closing quotations:

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Anglo	12½	13	Pierce Oil	9⅝	10¼
Atl. Ref.	910	920	Prairie Oil	445	455
Borne S.	425	475	Prairie P.	239	265
Buckeye	94	98	Solar Refg.	285	310
C'brough	315	325	S. Pipe	185	190
Colonial	10	50	S. P. Oil	280	290
Continental	475	500	S.W. P.	95	105
Crescent	30	35	S. Oil Cal.	227	235
Cum'land	120	130	S. Oil Ind.	635	645
Eureka	195	205	S. Oil Kan.	460	500
Galena	132	136	S. Oil Ky.	315	330
Do. pfd.	120	130	S. Oil Neb.	490	520
Ill. Pipe	190	195	S. Oil N. J.	550	565
Ind. Pipe	94	100	S. Oil N. Y.	270	275
Nat. Tran.	18	19	S. Oil Ohio	400	420
N. Y. Tran.	180	190	Swan & F.	100	105
N. Pipe	98	103	Union T.	84	86
Ohio Oil	323	333	Vacuum	350	360
P. M. Fuel	42	48	Wash'ton	28	32

BUTTER AND EGGS: LATEST QUOTATIONS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Butter steady; receipts, 11,496; higher than extras, 52@52½; extra (92 score), 51@51½; firsts, 48½@50½; seconds, 46@48. Eggs firm; receipts, 6303 cases; fresh gathered, 62; extra firsts, 64; firsts, 63@63½; seconds, 56@62. Cheese firm; receipts, 1687 boxes; state whole milk flats, held specials, 26@26½; do. average run, 25½@26.

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—Butter unchanged. Eggs higher; receipts, 317 cases. Firsts, 61½@62½; ordinary firsts, 57@60; at mark, cases included, 54@61; refrigerator firsts, 43@44.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Butter extras, 50½@53. Eggs, fresh extras, 60; fresh extra, pullets, 54½.

GOVERNMENT COTTON PRICES BELIEVED DUE.

GREAT DEAL OF SHORT-SELLING IN NEW YORK MARKET.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Jan. 31.—The persisting feeling that government price-fixing is imminent in cotton and that the fixed price when it comes will be well below present market figures, coupled with the well-defined general opinion among a certain element of the market that present prices are in any case too high to last, caused a great deal of selling today on the local cotton market, much of it obviously short of the market.

The market sustained the selling remarkably well, however, on the whole; and, although early advances of from 15 to 23 points were lost, the close was steady, from 7 points higher to 13 lower than Wednesday's closing figures.

Some traders who have been long in March cotton profited by this opportunity to transfer their holdings to later months, and, as the demand was satisfied by this element and by outright realizing, the market gradually softened. Then, in the late afternoon, the short-selling became more active and aggressive and before it was checked had set prices back practically to where they had started. This was due in some measure to a pessimistic view of the price fixing implications of the President's letter to the farmers' conference.

The market is not so sure as it was of the ultimate effect of peace on cotton and consequently the peace implications of the letter did not attract so much attention.

RANGE OF PRICES.

Cotton—	Open.	High.	Low.	Bid.	Asked.
February	30.45	30.45	30.32	30.32	
March	30.54	30.62	30.34	30.37	30.39
April				29.95	
May	29.82	29.98	29.50	29.77	29.79
June	29.57	29.57	29.55	29.55	
July	29.42	29.52	29.27	29.33	29.34
August				29.12	
October	28.07	28.17	27.85	27.90	27.91
December	27.53	27.56	27.45	27.67	27.69

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JOSEPHINE E. WALKER DULLEY, Plaintiff, vs. WILLIAM [illegible] DULLEY, Defendant.
Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, and the Complaint filed in said County of Los Angeles, in the office at the Clerk of said Superior Court.
The People of the State of California send Greetings to: WILLIAM [illegible] TON DULLEY, Defendant.
YOU ARE HEREBY DIRECTED TO APPEAR and answer the Complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles, State of California, within ten days after the service on you of this Summons—if served within this County; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.
And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required the said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the Complaint, as arising upon contract or said plaintiff will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.
Given under my hand and seal of the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles, State of California, this [illegible] day of December, A.D. 1917.
H. J. LELANDE, Clerk.
(SEAL) By R. F. GRAGG, Deputy.
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Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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FRIDAY MORNING

COMMERCIAL.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

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PRICES CURRENT.

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GREEN VEGETABLES—These quotations are for California shipping stock: Artichokes, 50@1.10 per dozen; asparagus, 15@20; Kentucky Wonder, 20; beans, 1.50; cauli, 40 doz.; brussels sprouts, 12c per lb.; cabbage, 2½c per lb.; carrots, 50 doz.; cauliflower, 50 doz.; celery, 75@1.25 crate; beets, 50 doz.; chile, 12@20 lb.; horseradish, 10c per lb.; garlic, 10c per lb.; lettuce, 1.50@2.00 per box; bananas, 3; pomegranates, 1.50@2.00 half box; Winter squash

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BEET INQUIRY HEAD NAMED.

Ex-State Senator Cogswell is Made Chairman.

Hoover Order Gives Scope of Investigation.

Cost of Growing Beets to be Principal Point.

Ralph P. Merritt of San Francisco, Federal Food Administrator for California, last night selected former State Senator Prescott F. Cogswell of El Monte to serve as temporary chairman of the California Sugar Beet Commission of Inquiry, created by Food Administrator Hoover. Chairman Cogswell has been authorized to arrange for a meeting of the commission at an early date, and it probably will be held here.

The commission consists of Prescott F. Cogswell, a walnut grower at El Monte; John Perry of Stockton, regent of the University of California, and president of the State Agricultural Society, and Merle J. Rogers, superior judge of Ventura county.

It develops from instructions issued by the Food Administration that the Commission of Inquiry is to concern itself with the establishment of the cost of producing sugar beets in the various districts, and will determine what it may consider a satisfactory price for beets. It is apparently not to concern itself with an investigation of the manufacture of beet sugar, nor with the cost of producing beet sugar. Its scope is confined to the cultural side of the sugar-beet business.

COMMISSION'S POWERS.

The commission is empowered to hold meetings, wherever it is necessary to do so in order to reach the people vitally interested, to call upon growers for sworn testimony as to cost of production, and to command growers to appear and give testimony if the necessity to do so arises.

Sugar beet growers in Los Angeles county said yesterday that they thought the beet controversy had already progressed far enough toward settlement to justify the growers in going ahead with this year's planting. The prevailing impression is that if the commission digs in deep enough it will return to the Food Administration a report that will be decidedly favorable to the growers.

Chairman Cogswell is in San Francisco, and he has not announced when the first meeting of the commission will be held, but it is believed that action will be taken early next week and that the initial session will be held in this city.

Belgium

BRAND WHITLOCK is writing the story of the sack of Belgium.

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Those with appreciation will recognize that the tragedy has wrought upon him until the result is such literature as may never again come out of the War—such history as America must know to stand united.

PERSHING. The French Government sent its official painter, Boucher, to paint Pershing. Everybody's prints it in color—you who have men over there will frame it.

RAOUL LUFBERY, "ACE," tells of one of his dare-devil air raids. Look for it over in the advertising.

SAMUEL HOPKINS ADAMS wakes up America this month for fair. "TAM O THE SCOTS"—There's another battle story of this dauntless little Scot.

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UKULELE MUSIC PROVOKES FIGHT.

Man Insists on Playing the Hawaiian Instrument and Row Follows.

M. Streicher, proprietor of the Streicher apartments at No. 484 South Figueroa street, was fined $10 yesterday by Police Judge Richardson for striking Byron Long, a visitor to one of the tenants of the apartment-house. Streicher told the justice that he struck the man because he insisted on playing the ukulele and making a noise after hours.

In passing sentence, Judge Richardson indicated that, in his opinion, there were extenuating circumstances.

On Trial.

UNION MUST DEFEND SUIT.

Court Overrules Demurrers in Strike Case.

Iron and Steel Company's Complaint Specific.

Minutes of Walkout Meeting Must be Produced.

The Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers and Golden State Lodge, Local No. 3, were forced yesterday to defend the injunction complaint of the Southern California Iron and Steel Company, growing out of the strike at the Mateo-street plant and charges that the employees working on government orders have been harrassed and intimidated. Judge Finlayson overruled their general and special demurrers and the case went to trial.

The court held that the complaint is sufficiently specific. A great legal battle was waged by Attorney Schenck for the defendants, who sought to compel the steel company to set out the names of those charged with threatening and intimidating men at work who did not join the union.

C. C. Patterson, secretary of Lodge No. 3, was called by Attorney Barnhill for the plaintiff and asked if he had brought with him the minutes of the meeting at which it was voted to strike at the Mateo-street plant. He said he had not. A demand was then made for the minutes, as they are material as showing the purpose of the strike.

EVENTS BEFORE STRIKE.

A question by Judge Finlayson brought from Mr. Patterson the incidents leading up to the strike. Asked if the strike was called at a meeting of the union, his reply went back to the alleged conditions existing before the strike was called when there was an agitation for a scale of wages, conferences with General Superintendent Stephens of the corporation and his refusal to deal with the committee which waited on him.

M. F. Tigh, national secretary-treasurer, had arrived from Pittsburgh and Mr. Stephens was asked to meet the union leader. At this meeting the alleged dissatisfaction of the open hearth men was brought up, but Mr. Stephens said he would not consider the question. Mr. Tigh was persistent, and Mr. Stephens was firm.

It was just shortly before this time that the union had succeeded in unionizing some of the men in the shop. As Mr. Patterson put it: "They kept asking us to take them into the union."

Mr. Stephens sent three workers home. This was followed by another employee being sent home.

"We figured it out," said Mr. Patterson, a pleasant sort of a chap, "that if we waited until Saturday night none of our men would be left in the shop."

Meanwhile Capt. Connell had been appointed strike mediator by the government the day after the strike. Mr. Patterson said the union discussed things and voted to strike.

"We will stipulate that a strike was called," said Attorney Schenck.

"That's not the point," replied Attorney Barnhill. He wanted the minutes of the meeting calling the strike and any extracts of the discussion. Mr. Patterson admitted that, if it was important, he took notes of the discussion. Judge Finlayson held that the minutes were relevant and they will be brought into court.

One man who had been sent home because Mr. Stephens said he was drunk, seemed to disturb the union men. The strike was called soon after this occurred, because Mr. Patterson, having known this man since a boy, said he could tell when he was sober.

Mr. Barnhill succeeded over the objection of Mr. Schenck in having struck out from Mr. Patterson's testimony, matter that was purely voluntary.

An interesting part of the examination of Mr. Patterson was interrupted by the adjournment of court at 5 o'clock. This referred to what members of the lodge gathered at the steel company's plant and sought to have the men quit work. Mr. Patterson named himself and five or six others. He said they used merely arguments and no threats, intimidations or force.

A map was drawn on the blackboard showing the location of the plant and the streets, and this will be used today in delving further into the activities of the strikers' committee.

MANY CHARGES DENIED.

Row Between Man and Woman Causes Former's Arrest and Latter a Trip to Hospital.

A variety of charges and denials hurled at each other by Mrs. Henrietta C. King and Dr. E. H. Keeley of No. 2110 South Grand avenue, last night, resulted in two police and one ambulance call, and the eventual trip of Mrs. King to the Receiving Hospital and Dr. Keeley to the University Police Station, where he is held on the charge of battery.

Mrs. King, who refused to have her injuries treated when her request for the Chief of Police in person to handle the case was not granted, says she was pushed down several flights of stairs by Dr. Keeley. The accused man says she fell down of her own accord. Mrs. King then charged Dr. Keeley with having taken $63 from her. This also was denied. Officers Littel and Dewey, who answered the second call, say they found some money and checks in Keeley's possession. But Keeley says the money belongs to him. The University police say they want to remain neutral, and suggested Mrs. King thrash the matter out in court today.

BISHOP HONORED.

Right. Rev. John J. Cantwell is the Guest at Banquet Given by Newman Club.

Rt. Rev. John J. Cantwell was the guest of honor at the annual reception and banquet given by the Newman Club, at the Alexandria Hotel, last night. Judge Paul J. McCormick acted as chairman of the evening. About 120 guests were present.

Walter J. Desmond toasted the President of the United States and Frank P. Jenal the ladies. J. Vincent Hannon made a short talk and was followed by Bishop Cantwell with a patriotic address.

The Newman Club was organized in 1899 and its membership now includes representatives from all sections of Southern California.

SENTENCED TO SAN QUENTIN

Joe Robinson, who pleaded guilty to assisting in the theft of forty bags of beans from the Newmark Grain Company, was given an indeterminate sentence of from one to fifteen years in San Quentin by Superior Judge Paul J. McCormick yesterday afternoon.

Women whose sensitive nerves often yield to coffee's harmful stimulation, appreciate the change resulting from a ten days' trial of

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YELLS FOIL BANDITS.

Screams of Man in Fall after He Runs from Highwaymen Drive Them Away.

The theory that he who yells and runs away may live to yell another day, last night was put into practice with good results by Charles Seid of No. 1142 West Tenth street.

In Seid's case, however, it was the combination of voice and speed that brought about his successful escape from two hold-up men when they tried to hold him up in front of No. 926 Francisco street.

Seid was walking at a sedate rate of speed when the men neared and blocked his way. "Throw up your hands!" was the command, and a gun was exhibited as a final argument.

Instead of complying, the near-victim ran. He did not get far, however, for the bandits were close behind, gaining all the time. Then it was that Seid's good luck came. It came in the shape of a fall, which so frightened the man that he began to call for help in tones loud, if not elegant. He made so much noise that the bandits turned around and ran in another direction, leaving Mr. Seid safe to await the coming of the police.

GETS NO RESPONSE.

David Lyons of the County Council of Defense, who is investigating the condition of the fish market with reference to price, said yesterday that the transport Bay Ocean may go into Mexican markets and bring back fish to sell at the highest instead of the lowest market price. The County Council of Defense had planned to raise money and send the transport to Mexican waters for fish, thereby reducing the price in the local markets 50 per cent. He says there has been no spontaneous response to the appeal for funds to carry out the plan.

NO PORK ON SUNDAY NOW.

Food Administration Ruling to Stop Sale Entirely on Saturday.

The restrictions on the sale of pork in Los Angeles are to be drawn tighter in accordance with a message received by Vernon Goodwin, local representative of the Food Administrator, from Ralph P. Merritt, Food Commissioner for California, yesterday.

Pork must not be sold on Saturday now for consumption on Sunday, declares Mr. Merritt, and continues: "New direction regarding porkless days, Tuesdays and Saturdays, asks all retail dealers to not sell pork products at all on either day.

"This supersedes former advice regarding Saturdays, which permitted sales for Sunday consumption. The urgent necessity for full, strict and patriotic observance of both days in all classes makes new direction necessary."

VISITORS FROM UTAH.

Two Special Salt Lake Trains will Arrive with Many Tourists on Next Sunday.

The Salt Lake route's last special train contributions to the Los Angeles colony of winter tourist visitors will be made on Sunday, when two heavily-laden trains from Utah will reach this city.

These trains will leave Salt Lake City on Saturday afternoon and will be entirely composed of standard sleeping cars, parlor observation cars and diners. From present indications they will bring not less than 500 people to enjoy the balmy winter climate, which attracts yearly increasing thousands from all parts of the world.

Each of these trains will be in charge of a representative of the passenger department of the Salt Lake route, who will give close attention to the wants and convenience of the passengers en route.

The Utahans already in this State are planning a picnic and barbecue welcome from California to their brethren from the "Beehive" State.

ROB LIQUOR STORES.

Negroes Charged with Raids as Caches of Hidden Booze are Discovered.

With the arrest yesterday of E. Larkin and Joseph Lewis (colored,) the police believe they have secured two members of a big gang of thieves who have been raiding wholesale liquor houses for the last two weeks, hauling away as much as two truckloads of intoxicants at a time.

Lewis and Larkin were arrested by Detectives Ziegler, Fitzgerald and Brown. Through information given by the two men, three places were searched by the officers and more than 350 bottles of whisky, cheap wines and other beverages were found.

The shop of Paul Evans at No. 1917 East Ninth street was raided by the police, acting on information from Lewis, and several bottles of stolen intoxicants were recovered. Other alleged caches of stolen wines were at No. 522 Ceres avenue and No. 622 East Fourth street. Both of the places were caches for stolen liquors.

Among the wineries which the negro gang are said to have robbed are the Red Ribbon Winery, the Standard Winery and the Seventh Street Wine and Liquor House.

Samuel Bennett of the Red Ribbon Winery at No. 706 South San Pedro street, reported to the police yesterday morning that the thieves entered his store and stole more than a truckload of bottled goods sometime Wednesday night. Lewis and Larkin are supposed to be implicated in this robbery and in another one committed two weeks ago on the same house.

In and Out.

CHARGES SELF WITH STEALING.

Does it Because no One Else Would Believe Story.

Asks to be Arrested; Told to go Chase Self.

Good Boy, Want Him Back, Says Employer.

This is the story of John Renek and his conscience. He got into a peck of trouble, but emerged smiling when the story was told in the Juvenile Court, yesterday.

The boy was employed by John Becker. The latter loaned him a

bicycle. When it failed to show speed, Renek sold the machine. Mr. Becker asked him where it was and when he informed him that he had parted with it, Mr. Becker seemed angry. He told Renek to bring the machine back.

Renek did not show up the next day. Several days later he timidly approached a policeman and told him he had stolen a bicycle. He wanted the officer to arrest him. The cop looked at the lad in amaze-

ment. No thief had ever surrendered himself voluntarily to the officer. He believed the boy was "kidding."

"Go chase yourself," he told Renek. The boy insisted and he was finally told to go to the Police Station.

The officers at Central Station turned a deaf ear to the lad's story. When someone got a hunch Renek was telling the truth. So it was explained to him that "there's no one to swear to the complaint."

Renek's face lighted up.

"I'll do it," he said. This was done and he was placed in jail. But

when Mr. Becker was summoned to Juvenile Court, he was amazed.

"I gave the bicycle to him," he said. "He is a good boy and I want him back again. I never charged him with stealing the machine."

"You want a hair cut," Judge Reeve told Renek. "That's the only fault I have to find with you."

Now Renek wants to join his brother in fighting Germany.

SIX BULLETS WORK A CHANGE IN I.W.W.

BAD MAN IS VERY MEEK WHEN BROUGHT INTO JUSTICE COURT.

A fiend incarnate seemed Juan Duran, an I.W.W., as with ball and chain attached to his foot and a glittering axe swung above his head, he attacked Thomas S. Kelly, a guard of the chaingang, in Griffith Park last November. A mild, meek-mannered man he was in Justice Palmer's court yesterday where he appeared on charges of assault with a deadly weapon and assault with intent to commit murder.

The story of the attack on the guard revealed a plot believed to have been fostered by Duran to free the members of the chaingang. Guard Kelly was instructing Duran how to cut a tree. Duran seemed to be complaisant, but as Mr. Kelly turned away, Duran shouted, "A la revolycion," and brought the axe, fortunately flat side down, on Mr. Kelly's head.

The guard crumpled up on the ground. His face distorted with passion, Duran swung the axe for another blow when Captain E. B. Phelps and Policeman Underwood, attracted by the cries of the prisoners, ran to the rescue. Duran's object was to take the keys from Mr. Kelly and release himself and other prisoners from the ball and chain.

Underwood was forced to act quickly. Before Duran could strike Guard Kelly a second time, Underwood fired. This acted as a spur to Duran, who fought like a madman. Other shots followed, and when the battle was over it was found that six bullets had lodged in Duran's body. Guard Kelly was also badly injured, and both men have been ever since recovering from their wounds.

It was testified, as evidence of Duran's conspiracy, that he had whispered to other prisoners: "We are going to get free." The assault on Mr. Kelly followed.

TELLS POLICE HOW TO CATCH FAKE SOLDIERS.

Capt. W. H. Cochran, provost marshal of the Western Department, United States Army, with headquarters at San Francisco, yesterday addressed seventy-two members of the Los Angeles police detective bureau on how to detect persons who are selling spurious uniforms, or violating the Federal uniform regulations and on how to secure convictions on those who sell stolen army property.

YES, MAYBE IT WAS A RAID.

Negro Convulses Courtroom in Snively-"Record" Libel Trial.

What is a raid? This question was asked of George Brown, former negro proprietor of a social club, in the Snively-Record $50,000 libel suit on trial before a jury in Judge Monroe's court yesterday. Mr. Brown declared:

"I ain't never seen no raid at no time."

When he was asked if a police sergeant and six officers had not gone to his social club one night and arrested forty members, Brown cogitated a moment and delivered himself thus:

"If harness bulls kickin' in doors, breakin' locks, jumpin' on peaceful citizens when they is eatin' their grub, slammin' them on the head with blackjacks and knockin' them on the floor with six shooters—if that's what you call a raid, I guess I done seen a raid. Yes sir, I sure did."

"It made you kind of mad, didn't it?" queried Judge Monroe when the laughter had subsided.

"I wasn't just mad, judge, but I was sure some wrought up."

DAMAGES FOR DEATH.

Widow Awarded Large Sum for the Accident which Proved Fatal to Husband.

Although the plaintiff did not have a single eyewitness to the accident which resulted in the death of Tobias Nettrouer, on Sherman way, September 20, last, a jury in Judge Wellborn's court yesterday brought in a verdict awarding $8000 damages to the widow, Carrie Nettrouer, against the defendant, L. R. Paxton, as principal, and his daughter, Opal Paxton, as agent. Miss Paxton having driven the automobile which struck Mr. Nettrouer.

The accident happened along Sherman way near Van Nuys. Mr. Nettrouer was walking on the boulevard. Miss Paxton, who was accompanied by her brother, Mandes Paxton, testified that she was driving not more than ten miles an hour. Just as they drew near Mr. Nettrouer, she said he jumped into the road in front of the machine and she was unable to stop in time to avoid striking him.

NURSE DROPS DEAD ON WAY TO FRIEND.

Mrs. A. Wandler, 56 years old, a professional nurse living at No. 751 East Fourteenth street, dropped dead yesterday while going to take care of a friend, being attacked by an asthmatic convulsion at Twelfth and San Pedro streets. Early yesterday morning, according to neighbors, Mrs. Wandler was notified that a friend was near death. She dressed hastily and hurried out into the cold morning air. The temperature is supposed to have caused the asthmatic attack.

"SMILEAGE" BOOKS ARE SOLD RAPIDLY.

Almost two-thirds of the allotment of "smileage" books sent Los Angeles have been disposed of, according to information from headquarters. Last night a large number of workers invaded the theaters, disposing of many of the books.

According to advices, Minnesota has sold out her entire allotment of books. As the entertainments to which owners of the books will be admitted will start next week, camp commanders are urging that the books be sent to the camps at once.

MAGICIAN'S BIRTHDAY.

The oldest living magician has a birthday today—he is 74 years old. He is Prof. Harry Cook, the first man in America to show people how spiritualists and mediums fool the public.

In 1889 he was appearing at the old Grand Operahouse; tonight his friends, Keller, and the great Alexander, and about two score other fellow members of the Los Angeles Society of Magicians are going to gather at his home, No. 212 North Manhattan place, to wish him happy returns of the day, and he will show them that he can still make "the quickness of the hand deceive the eye."

SAY THEY'RE NEUTRAL.

Make no mistake. The Gaudsmidt Brothers at the Orpheum, are not German and never were. They are natives of Holland and proud of it. The dogs with them are Spanish poodles, also neutral. You can't get up any argument there.

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